

Plans for fuel sales fly forward

Crawford County officials have charted the next stage for development of the Crawford County Air Terminal.

The Crawford County Air Terminal is located just north of the Grayling Army Airfield on land owned by the State of Michigan. The Grayling Army Airfield is on property owned by the federal government.

County officials will advertise for bids to provide aviation fuel at the Crawford County Air Terminal, starting on Tuesday, May 3.

Maj. Jim Robson, facilities engineer for Camp Grayling, and Staff Sgt. Chris Cook, manager for the Grayling Army Airfield, will oversee criteria for the companies submitting bids. The deadline for the Crawford County Airport Board to award a contract has been set for June 3. **Pg. 10A**

SPORTS

Vikings win 7-0, 9-2 in league series vs. Rayders



The Grayling Vikings defeated the visiting Charlevoix Rayders 7-0, 9-2 in a varsity baseball doubleheader played last Thursday. The two wins improved Grayling's league record to 3-1.

The Vikings won 7-0 in game one. Pitcher Zach Wolcott (2-0) threw a complete game one-hitter, striking out 13 batters. Jensen Aubry (1-1) picked up the victory in game two, a 9-2 win for GHS.

Riley Zigala hit a home run in game one for the Vikings. Aubry hit a three-run homer in game two and Ethan Lewis hit a solo home run in the contest. **Pg. 12A**

Late goal wins it for GHS, 2-1, vs. Traverse City



With a goal in the final minutes, Grayling High School's varsity girls soccer team defeated Traverse City Liberty - a combination of Traverse City Christian and Traverse City St. Francis - by a final score of 2-1 during a rainy Thursday night last week at GHS.

"At the beginning of the game we went over how important it was to play good defense and we would get opportunities on offense. The girls came out and played tough. Both teams struggled to control the ball because of the wet and windy conditions," Coach Craig Cobb said. **Pg. 11A**

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SCHOOL BOARD ELECTION RESULTS

by Dan Sanderson
Staff Writer

The incumbent president of the Crawford AuSable School Board of Education survived a challenge in Tuesday's bi-annual school board election.

Crawford AuSable School Board President Carol Ramaswamy earned another six-year term on the board by getting 417 votes on Tuesday.

Wendy Kucharek, a retired Grayling Middle School librarian, won the other six-year term on the board by garnering 457 votes. Amy K. Owen had 377

votes cast in her favor, while Shirley Currison trailed with 317 votes.

William Dean, vice president of the Crawford AuSable School Board, and Lewis Madill, the current school board treasurer, both ran unchallenged for two four-year seats on the board.

Also at the polls Tuesday, Crawford AuSable School District voters approved a special education millage for the Crawford, Oscoda, Ogemaw and Roscommon Intermediate School District by a 488 yes to 416 no vote.

The final tally for the special education millage was available at press time for the *Crawford County Avalanche*.

The Roscommon County Board of Canvassers was scheduled to meet Wednesday afternoon to review the special election results from all four counties.

The outcome of the vote will be posted on the *Avalanche's* website - www.crawfordcountyavalanche.com - once results are made available.

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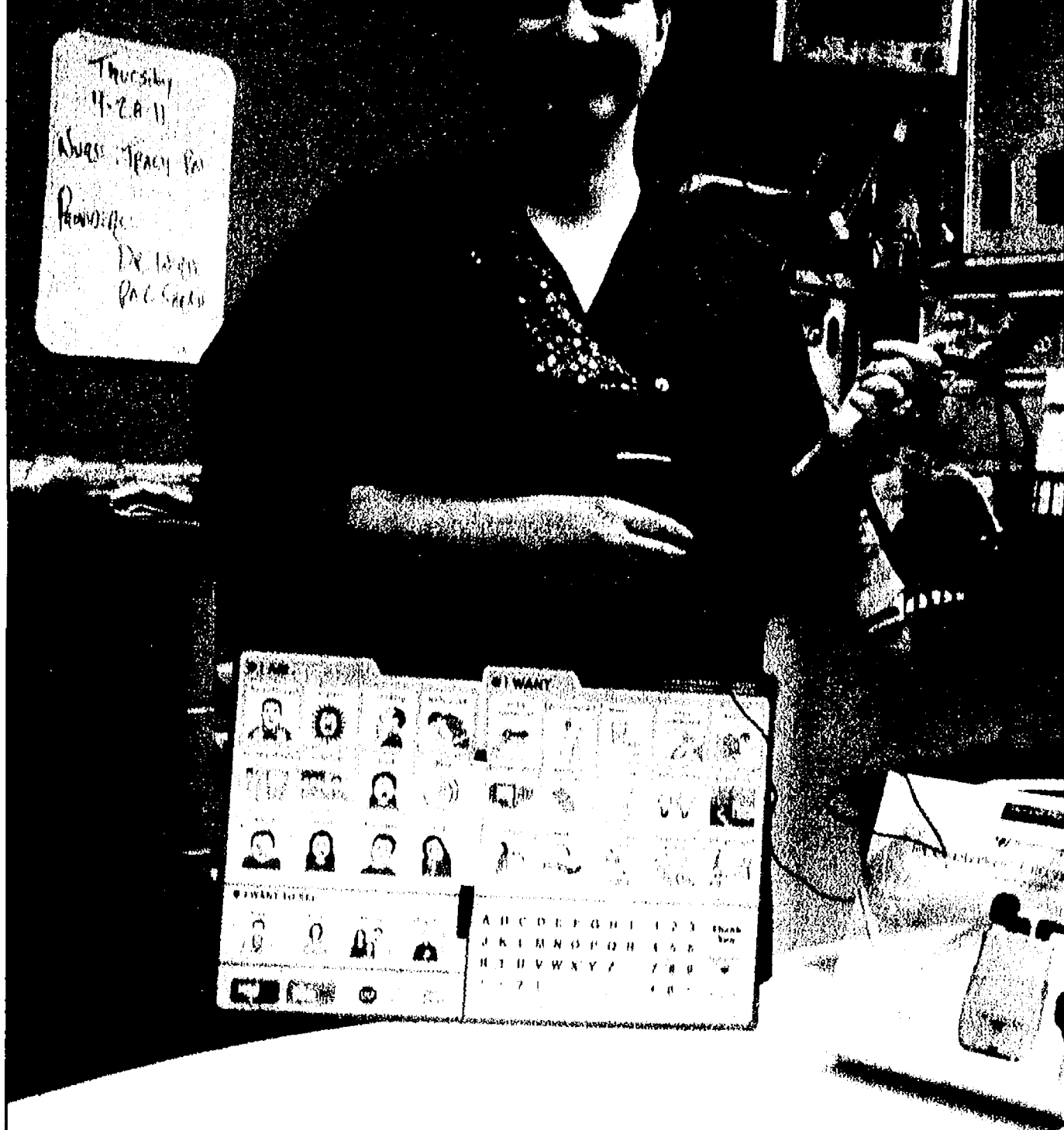


Photo by Dan Sanderson

On Wednesday, May 4, Mercy Hospital Grayling began utilizing equipment and enhanced emergency medical care for senior citizens in its "Senior ER." Above, Amanda Janisse, RN, BSN and assistant director for the Mercy Hospital Grayling's Emergency Department, displays communication boards, a pocket talker and the Senior ER toolbox used at the hospital. See "Senior ER enhances..." on Page 3A for the full story.

Health officer provides annual report to county

by Dan Sanderson
Staff Writer

The top health official for the region celebrated achievements made by Crawford County officials and agencies while highlighting areas where there is room for improvement.

Linda Van Gills, chief health officer for District Health Department #10 which covers 10 counties, recently gave the agency's 2010 annual report to the Crawford County Board of Commissioners.

Van Gills said she was pleased that Crawford County was ranked 37 among the 83 counties in the state providing clinical care. That includes providing access to care and quality of care.

Van Gills highlighted family planning and wise women programs, which tracks causes for chronic diseases such as cholesterol, and high blood pressure. The testing is done as women are going through breast and cervical cancer screenings.

"We're finding cancer early, we are treating these women and getting those individuals on Medicaid," Van Gills said.

Van Gills added that 198 clients in Crawford County received family planning services, which includes teaching parenting skills and nutrition to ensure a safe pregnancy and good birth weight for infants. In addition, Van Gills said the county was at an 80 percent compliance rate for immunizations administered for children between 18 months and 35 months. A total of 1,486 immunizations were given in Crawford County last year, including 778 influenza vaccines and 2,302 H1N1 shots.

A total of \$5 million in Woman, Infant and Children Vouchers (WIC) were redeemed in the District Health Department

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Granddaughter from Grayling family in England to witness Royal Wedding

by Dan Sanderson
Staff Writer

The granddaughter of a Grayling couple and daughter of a father raised in Grayling was among one million people that witnessed the Royal Wedding festivities in England Friday.

Danielle Lucksted, the granddaughter to Bill Sr. and Florence Lucksted of Grayling, and daughter of Bill Jr. and Kristen Lucksted of Spring Lake, attended the Royal Wedding ceremonies that were open to the public for Prince William and Kate Middleton.

Lucksted witnessed the arrival of the Royal Family, listened as wedding vows were exchanged and saw their first public kisses from the balcony at the Buckingham Palace.

Lucksted is a 2008 graduate of Spring Lake High School. She is a psychology major at Grand Valley State University, studying abroad at Kingston University in

England. She arranged to write a story about the Royal Wedding for *Grand Haven Tribune* and news about her travels was also reported in *GV Now*, the college's online news source.

Lucksted said the most anticipated arrival on Friday was Middleton, who was accompanied by her father. As their car arrived the sun peeked its head out from behind the clouds, making Kate's grand entrance all the more ethereal, the *Grand Haven Tribune* reported. Carol Hennessey, an American student, described this as the most emotional moment of the wedding, saying that she could "feel the spirit of Diana shining through in those few seconds," the *Tribune* reported.

Although her five-foot-three-inch frame required standing on tip toes for most of the day, Lucksted said dealing with the crowds, many who has camped out for days, and the pushing and

shoving were worth it.

"It was an incredible experience, and I feel so lucky to have participated in this beautiful moment of history," Lucksted said in her *Grand Haven Tribune* story. "Despite the urgency of the crowds, it was magnificent to see all of London unite over this regal romance. What better than a wedding to bring the world together?"

Florence Lucksted said she was proud that Danielle was able to witness a once in a lifetime moment. They will travel to England to visit Danielle this month and will see the aftermath of the wedding.

"I think it was kind of neat," Florence said. "I would have liked to have been there myself."

Bill Lucksted Jr. and brother Terry and Jerry were all raised in Grayling. Terry still lives in the community, while the other brothers reside in Grand Rapids.



Danielle Lucksted, granddaughter to Bill Sr. and Florence Lucksted of Grayling, and daughter of Bill Jr. and Kristen Lucksted, attended the Royal Wedding ceremonies that were open to the public for Prince William and Kate Middleton on Friday. Above, Lucksted posed with her Royal Wedding tiara in England.

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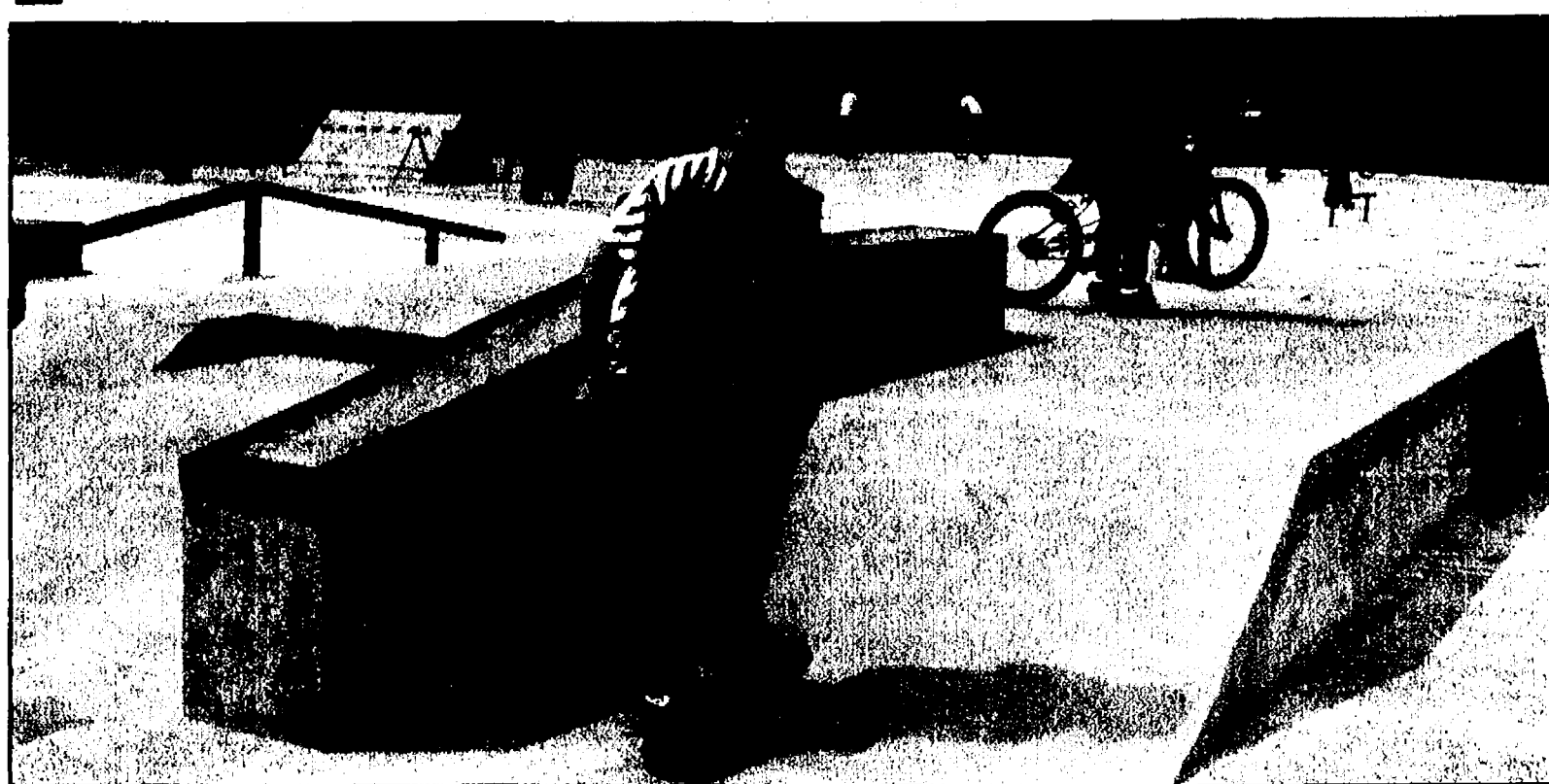


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Grayling City officials, Kiwanis Club of Grayling members, parents, volunteers and youth held a ribbon cutting for the community's new skate park on Saturday. The skate park obstacles, made from concrete and a picnic table and launch ramp donated by the Kiwanis Club of Grayling were recently added to the skate park. Dozens of people were on hand as skate boarders and BMX cyclists tested out the skate park. Above, a skate boarder cruises down one of the main obstacles as he heads toward the skate park's half pipe.

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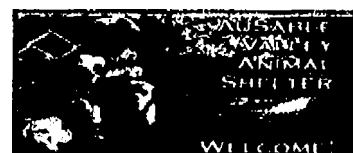
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WELCOME!

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#10's area but less than \$250,000 were spent in Crawford County, indicating people shop for groceries elsewhere in the region.

"Sometimes those are things we forget about in terms of impacting our economy," Van Gills said.

In bleaker news, Crawford County ranked 64 among all counties for its mortality rate, which includes people who die from premature death before age 75. The morbidity rate for the county,

which tracks poor health, poor mental health and low birth rates, was 41 for the county.

Van Gills said that health officials will focus on getting people physically fit, focusing on nutrition and lowering obesity rates.

Van Gills said that health officials, agencies and hospitals in the region would study community health assessments and plan to dedicate resources to address those issues.

"We will be looking at how we can partner and

identify some of those priorities," she said.

Finally, Van Gills said that Crawford County is where it should be at as far as high school graduation rates. Van Gills, however, said that young adults who earn two-year college degrees, four-year college degrees or at least some post graduation education would help boost health levels.

"Those are challenges for all of our counties because we know that those three indicators also drive health status," Van Gills said.

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By DAVID MORGAN
STAFF WRITER

ICCA will be placing ads in newspapers, radio and turning television spots this week asking people to bring in any old silver and gold coins made before 1965. Those that bring in their coins will be able to speak with collectors one on one and have their coins looked at by a specialist. With the help of these ICCA members, offers will be made to those that have coins made before 1965. Offers will be made based on silver or gold content and the rarity of the coins. All coins made before 1965 will be examined and purchased including gold coins, silver coins, silver dollars, all types of nickels and pennies. Those that decide to sell their coins will be paid on the spot.

If you are like a lot of people you might have a few old coins or even a coffee can full lying around. If you have ever wondered what they are worth now might be your chance to find out and even sell them if you choose. They could be worth a lot according to the International Coin Collectors Association also known as ICCA. Collectors will pay a fortune for some coins and currency for their collections. If it's rare enough, one coin could be worth over \$100,000 according to Eric Helms, coin collector and ICCA member. One ultra rare dime, an 1894S Barber sold for a record \$1.9 million to a collector in July of 2007. While that is an extreme example, many rare and valuable coins are stashed away in dresser drawers or lock boxes around the country. The ICCA and its collector members have organized a traveling event in search of all types of coins and currency. Even common coins can be worth a significant amount due to the high price of silver and gold, says Helms. Washington quarters and Roosevelt dimes can be worth many times their face value. Recent silver markets have driven the price up on even common coins made of silver. Helms explains that all half dollars, quarters and dimes made before 1965 contain 90% silver and are sought after any time silver prices rise. Right now it's a sellers market he said.

The rarest coins these collectors are looking for include \$20, \$10, \$5 and \$2 1/2 gold coins and any coin made before 1850. These coins always bring big premiums according to the ICCA. Silver dollars are also very sought after nowadays.

Other types of items the ICCA will be purchasing during this event include U.S. currency, gold bullion, investment gold, silver bars, silver rounds, proof sets, etc. Even foreign coins are sought after and will be purchased.

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So whether you have one coin you think might be valuable or a large collection you recently inherited, you can talk to these collectors for free and if you're lucky you may have a rarity worth thousands. Either way there is nothing to lose and it sounds like fun!

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Senior ER enhances care for elderly patients at Mercy Hospital Grayling

by Dan Sanderson
Staff Writer

Staff at Mercy Hospital Grayling began initiatives to improve communication and make senior citizens feel at ease when they arrive in the emergency room.

On Wednesday, May 4, Mercy Hospital Grayling began utilizing equipment and enhanced emergency medical care for senior citizens in its "Senior ER."

As a member of Trinity Health, Mercy Hospital Grayling has joined other hospitals in the national health system in implementing a new emergency department specifically designed to address the special needs, personal preferences and physical comforts of adults over the age of 65.

The Senior ER was first implemented by Trinity Health at Holy Cross Hospital in Maryland. Trinity Health has seven hospitals in southeast Michigan and St. Mary's Hospital in Livonia has also implemented the Senior ER. Mercy Hospital Grayling is the first hospital in northern Michigan to have a Senior ER.

Many of the fixtures for the Senior ER were put in place when Mercy Hospital Grayling opened its \$6.3 million Brasza-Pinch Family Emergency Department in 2007. Those included non-glare, non-slick flooring, handrails in the rooms and the ability to dim the lights and control volume of the television in the room. Toilets are also in some rooms for convenience of patients with mobility issues. White boards are also used so patients know the names of their doctors and physician's assistants.

Mercy Hospital is replacing all mattresses for its hospital beds to include air pressure reducing mattresses with air pockets that redistribute a patient's weight to provide more comfort.

One of the main tools

used in the Senior ER is a pocket talker, which can be attached to a patient's shirt or placed in their pocket. The device allows patients to amplify their voice and adjust the volume so they can hear conversations with health care providers and their families.

"The patients who have used it just thought it was great," said Amanda Janisse, RN, BSN and assistant director for the Mercy Hospital Grayling's Emergency Department. "It's adjustable so it's not too loud or not too soft. They can adjust it to just the level they need."

A Senior ER toolbox can also be taken from room to room. The tool box includes hearing aides, reading glasses and a magnifier to allow seniors to read medical forms and discharge forms. The box also includes bracelets to identify people who are fall risks or have an arm where an IV cannot be used. Communication boards are also used to help patients sound out words or explain symptoms.

The Senior ER includes the hospital's stroke robot. Emergency room staff use the robot for people who have suffered from strokes. A physician from the Michigan Stroke Network based out of St. Joseph Hospital Mercy Hospital in Pontiac can see the patient, look at CAT scans and lab results. They can even drive the robot to the patient's room, where they can discuss what medical interventions should be taken or if neurosurgery is required at the Pontiac hospital.

Janisse, who has been working on the Senior ER for a year, said 14 of the 17 rooms in Mercy Hospital Grayling's Emergency Department can be used for the Senior ER. The overall improvement enhances the care provided to all patients.

"What we do for the seniors is good for everybody," she said.

Nurses went through training provided by the Michigan Nurses Association for the Senior ER. Physicians went through training provided by the Cleveland Clinic, a non-profit academic medical center that integrates clinical and hospital care with research and education.

Special forms are used when seniors are discharged, providing them with information for home health care, Crawford County Commission on Aging services such as Meals on Wheels and contact information for Northern Lakes Community Mental Health.

Janisse said the Senior ER helps with the mission at Mercy Hospital Grayling because 20 percent of the patients they treat in the emergency department are over the age of 65. Of those patients, 40 percent are admitted into the hospital for care. The national average for hospitals treating senior citizens in their emergency rooms is 15 percent, while the Trinity Health has 18 percent of seniors being treated in the ER.

Janisse said the data helps drive what resources are purchased, dollars that are spent and what enhanced training takes place.

"It's important to start determining what resources they need and making sure we understand how to treat people who have chronic illnesses," she said.

In the past, Janisse said emergency rooms were set up to treat 25-year-old, healthy males and were geared to be more of a trauma center.

With enhances in health care and medicine, people are living longer with chronic diseases which has required hospitals to change its focus.

"With things getting safer and safer, we see less trauma and more chronically ill people so we have to be bet-

ter trained in the ER," Janisse said.

Alice Snyder, director of the Crawford County Commission on Aging, applauded the hospital for keeping an eye out for seniors as the population of people over 65 continues to grow in the county.

"Mercy Hospital Grayling has really taken a step ahead of a lot of folks here in northern Michigan, trying to focus on senior needs," Snyder said. "I think that's a huge benefit for the community served by the hospital."

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Hearing set for peddlers permits

by Dan Sanderson
Staff Writer

The Grayling City Council is considering changes to its peddlers permit ordinance that would level the playing field for established businesses, non-profit groups and businesses that come into the community for a few days.

Under the ordinance, a business is defined as any current and operating establishment located within the city, which is retail, service or wholesale oriented.

Under proposed changes to the ordinance, any business may apply for a business sponsored peddler permit and wouldn't be subject to applicable fees set by the city council. The business would assume all liability for the peddler. The peddler operation must be located on the sponsoring business's property.

Businesses may only obtain two business sponsored peddler permits per month. Each permit shall not exceed three consecutive days.

The ordinance does not apply to vendors participating in the City of Grayling's Farm Market.

No licensee will be granted permission to sell their goods and wares in the Elmwood Cemetery or within 200 feet of a permanent city business that sells the same goods or wares.

The amendments were prompted by vendors, which located on the property of established businesses which allowed the sale of food and other goods.

"We're trying to work

with local businesses which want to have special events and this is a mechanism that will allow them to accomplish that," said Grayling City Manager/Police Chief Doug Baum.

A public hearing on the amendments to the peddlers permit ordinance will be held at the next Grayling City Council meeting which will be held at 7 p.m. on Monday, May 9.

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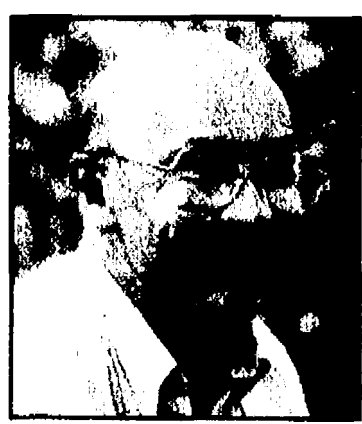
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Almanack

by Richard Milliman

British royal succession rule may change

BIG NEWS came out of Great Britain in the last few days which could rock the foundation of the British Empire.

No, it's not the lavish wedding of Prince William – second in line to become king of England – and commoner Kate Middleton, although their nuptials certainly provided oceans of talks and hours of prime time coverage.

The other big news, however, would have effects throughout the entire British Empire and its ramifications eventually could affect the newly married couple.

British government leaders are reviewing the ancient rule of succession to the throne that puts first born sons ahead of all other heirs of royalty, including their older sisters.

It's the "eldest son of the eldest son" syndrome.

The rule, of course, is downright discriminatory, but has guided selection of rulers of the British Empire for centuries, as well as rulers in other monarchial countries.

Deputy Prime Minister Nick Clegg, in discussing

the succession rule, allowed that it "would strike most people as a little old fashioned," and other British officials admitted some aspects of the rule "could be discriminatory."

Changing the rule, however, could take a little time. Discussions have begun with the 15 British Commonwealth countries which recognize the British Monarchy, and thus would be affected by any change. Change would require agreement and similar legal changes in all 15 Commonwealth countries, including Canada.

THE PRESENT Queen Elizabeth II, who is 84, became monarch because her father, King George VI, had no sons. Her eldest son, today's Prince Charles, is next in line. His sister, Princess Anne, is next eldest sibling in this family, but as for possible succession is below younger brothers Andrew and Edward, who will be out of the running anyway once older brother Charles becomes king, because his sons will be in line.

Prince Charles has only sons, the newlywed William and his brother Harry, so there's no gender rivalry at that stage of succession.

However, if the newlyweds, William and Kate, produce a daughter before a son, and if the proposed changes are in place by that time, then the daughter would have claim to the throne rather than the any male son, no matter how old any of them are.

IT'S REALLY not that complicated a system, but it certainly is gender discriminatory.

Even so, in more recent years – the last two centuries or so, which is recent history when talking about the British Empire – the "oldest son rule" has not prevented feminine pre-eminence on the British throne.

Queen Victoria was born in 1819, and ascended to the throne in 1837 at age 18. She ruled Great Britain 63 years, the rest of the 19th century, until her death at age 82 in 1901.

That's a longevity record for British monarchs.

After a handful of male

kings, the present Queen Elizabeth II has been in the chair for more than half a century, first crowned in 1952 at age 25. By most reports, she was an unwilling monarch who has served for 59 years and is threatening the longevity record of the legendary Queen Victoria.

If the change in succession rule is accomplished, Britain finally will be catching up with her former colonies across the Atlantic.

When found fathers of the United States – and notice not a founding mother among them – wrote the rules for how our new country was to be governed upon detachment from Great Britain, there was no gender qualification written into the new constitution or subsequent law which would forbid a female from serving as head of state.

Just count how many women presidents have filled the highest office here. Just standing there on its own, that's an amazing record in reverse.

CUBAN TWIST – The ruling family of Cuba

recently announced a somewhat different twist on the matter of monarch succession.

Fidel Castro, now 84, had been top man in Cuba ever since he led the revolution that installed the present government a half-century ago.

Fidel Castro stepped aside as president in 2008 due to health reasons, and his successor as president was his younger brother, Raul Castro, now 79.

President Raul Castro, in presenting his sort of "State of Cuba" program recently called for term limits of no more than two five-year terms for most government officials, starting with the president.

For the Castro family, this is the ideal time to come out in favor of term limits. However, Cubans may want to check with the Michigan legislature to see how they work here.

President Raul Castro also outlined a laundry list of economic reforms he proposed for Cuba, and offered this comment:

"No country or person can spend more than they have,"

he said. "Two plus two is four. Never five, much less six or seven – as we have sometimes pretended."

That line sounds somewhat familiar. Could President Castro be a secret member of the Cuban Tea Party?

OSAMA BIN LADEN – Osama Bin Laden is finally dead, killed at last by American munitions at his home fortress in Pakistan, according to reports.

Personally I do not cheer his death. I do not march in the streets in celebration of his demise. I am only relieved that he is gone.

The battle has not been won, however, and it will not be won until terrorism of hate based on religion, race or ethnicity is forever erased from this earth.

Bin Laden is gone, but the battle continues.

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Viewpoint

By Michigan Lyme Disease Association

May is Lyme Disease Awareness Month

Before venturing out this summer make sure you take some precautions against Lyme disease. Lyme disease and other tick-borne diseases can be transmitted through the bite of an infected tick. Ways you can protect your family this summer.

Wear light colored clothing. This allows you to spot ticks more easily.

Wear a hat and long-sleeved shirt. Tuck your clothes in, shorts into pants and pants into socks.

Use an insect repellent with DEET on exposed skin.

When hiking, stay in the middle of the trails and try to avoid underbrush, fallen

trees and tall grass.

Always perform a tick check when returning in from outdoors or when outdoors for extended periods of time.

If you do find a tick, use a pair of fine pointed tweezers, grasp the tick as close to the skin as possible and pull gently and firmly until the tick releases, this may take several tries. Avoid crushing or killing the tick while it is still attached to the skin. Once the tick is removed clean the area with an antiseptic, such as alcohol.

Save live ticks for testing. Directions and forms can be found at www.mlda.org.

Lyme Disease may cause symptoms such as a rash

which only appears in about 68 percent of cases, and not necessarily at the bite site. Other symptoms that may appear are flu-like symptoms such as fever, muscle aches, joint pain, headaches, fatigue or weakness. Symptoms can appear days to weeks after a tick bite. If gone untreated, Lyme disease can lead to severe heart, neurological, eye and joint problems because the bacteria can affect many different organs and systems in the body. For a free packet of information on Lyme disease, contact the Michigan Lyme Disease Association at 1-888-784-5963 or visit our website at www.mlda.org.

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Community Briefs items submitted to the Crawford County Avalanche must be turned in to the office by Monday noon, to appear in that week's issue.

Photographs must be turned in to the office by noon on Friday for consideration in the next issue.

News items and letters should be submitted on 8 1/2-x-11 inch paper, typed, and double-spaced.

Handwritten items must also have ample

space between each line; on lined paper use every other line.

Classified ads by the word must be turned in by Tuesday noon and have to be paid for in advance or they will not be published.

Classified display ads must be turned in by Monday noon.

Full page, half page, or color display ads must be turned in by Thursday at 5 p.m.

The deadline for all display ads smaller than a half page is Friday at 5 p.m.

Letters to the Editor

Your views are welcome on the Opinion Page. Letters may be typed or handwritten, but please double-space or use every other line and limit to 500 words.

Every letter must be

signed and an address and telephone number must be included to be considered for publication. Letters will not be published without the author's name. Telephone numbers are not published.

All letters are subject to editing and will be printed as space allows.

Deadline for submission of letters to the editor is Friday at noon for consideration for publication in the following week's paper.



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From our home page, access the Photo Gallery from the blue "News" or

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Briefs

Library to host Michigan author

The Friends of the Crawford County Library are sponsoring a Michigan Notable Author, Judge William C. Whitbeck, on Tuesday, May 10 at 7 p.m. at the Devereaux Memorial Library. Judge Whitbeck will introduce his novel "To Account for Murder."

Legion Auxiliary to hold meeting

The American Legion Auxiliary meeting will be held on Wednesday, May 11, at 2 p.m., at the American Legion Hall. They will be having the nominating of officers.

TEFAP food distribution to be held

TEFAP quarterly food distribution for Crawford County will be held Monday, May 9, at the American Legion, from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m., 106 James St. Use back door. Sponsored by the VFW 3736 Auxiliary and Post.

Church to hold seminar

Mt. Hope Lutheran Church, 905 N. I-75 Business Loop, will offer a 4 - 5 week seminar on Christian Care at the End of Life, beginning on May 3 at 5:30 p.m. Class dates will then follow on May 10, May 14 and May 21, at the church. Contact 348-5607 or 348-5956 for information.

Camp AuSable to hold seminar

Camp AuSable, 2590 Camp AuSable Dr., Grayling, will hold a 5 Day Plan to Stop Smoking seminar, Sunday, May 8 through Friday, May 13, at 7:30 p.m. Dr. Arthur Weaver, retired oncology surgeon, Professor emeritus of Wayne State University will be the presenter. There is no fee for attending, donations are welcome. Call 989-390-9187, with questions.

Lovells Twp. Supervisor to speak

The Lovells Hook and Trigger Club invites Lovells Township residents to hear Supervisor Gary Neumann at the Township Hall, 8405 Twin Bridge Rd, on May 5, at 7 p.m.

VFW Post 3736 to hold meeting

The VFW Post 3736 and the Ladies Auxiliary will hold their officer installations on May 10, at 6 p.m., at the American Legion Hall. This is a potluck, please bring a dish to pass. Regular business meeting will follow at 7 p.m.

Docent classes to be held

Docent Training Classes will be Saturday, May 7 at Wellington Farm. These classes provide training necessary to be an interpreter at the living history farm. Classes meet for four consecutive Saturdays and are open to anyone planning to either volunteer/ become employed at Wellington Farm. Tuition and materials are \$40, however scholarships are available. For more information or to register, call 989 529 7331.

Plow Day to be held

Saturday, May 7, Wellington Farm will host its annual Plow Day. Tractor enthusiasts from northern Michigan will congregate at the 60-acre living history museum for a day of plowing and tilling the fields in preparation for planting. Even though the farm is not officially open for the season, visitors are cordially invited to come and watch, or bring their tractor and join in the fun. Wellington Farm will open for the season on May 14.

Community calendar available online

The Crawford County Avalanche has a community calendar on their new web site. To view area happenings, or to be considered for publication of your event, go to crawfordcountyavalanche.com, click on community and go to the community calendar.

People Fund Grant applications deadline approaching

The Great Lakes Energy People Fund is accepting grant applications from non-profit organizations throughout its local service area. The upcoming grant application deadline is June 1.

The People Fund is supported solely by Great Lakes Energy members who allow their electric cooperative to round up their bill each month to the next dollar.

Since 1999 more than \$2 million in grants have been awarded to charitable and community organizations throughout Great Lakes Energy's 26-county service area, which stretches from Kalamazoo to the Mackinac Straits.

"The People Fund is made possible by the generosity of our members who contribute a few cents each month by rounding-up their bill," says President/CEO Steve Boeckman. "We encourage non-profit community organizations to apply so that the funds can be put to good use in our local service area."

Non-profit organizations can apply for a grant through the People Fund by downloading the application at www.gtlakes.com or by calling Great Lakes Energy, 1-888-485-2537,

ext. 1313. Organizations that are unable to apply by June 1 will have another opportunity to submit an application this fall.

The McKinney Washtub Two to perform at expo

AuSable River Expo to host The McKinney Washtub Two on Saturday, May 14, 4 p.m. to 6 p.m. at Hanson Hills Recreation.

The McKinney Washtub Two combine a variety of Americana music, traditional, country, western, folk, ragtime, blues, and gospel, with a variety of comedic and storytelling techniques to produce an appropriate mix of mirth and meaning for any occasion.

The McKinney part goes back to Judy marrying Whitt back in '80. Since that's his last name, she thought it convenient to just use the one for both of them.

The Washtub entered their lives in 1988, when Whitt and his 18-year old son saw one played like a real instrument by buskers at a street fair in Tucson. They built one, and used it in their duo, busking across the country and playing open mics at comedy clubs, bars, and coffeehouses.

Nearly a decade later, it would resurface as part of a homeschooling project for Whitt and Judy's daughters' ongoing music class. "The McKinney Family Washtub Band" was where Judy learned the instrument.

Now the Two of them, Whitt and Judy, have been

performing together for about eight years.

Whitt plays the guitar and does most of the arranging. He writes a lot of the songs they sing, and specializes in updating the best songs of others to produce parodies or additional verses which, if heard by the original composers, will hopefully produce a good-natured response, and not litigation.

Judy comes from a background in theatrical arts with a lifelong love of comedy; nonetheless, she stays with Whitt in the hope of helping him develop a sense of humor. She adds clear, honest vocals complemented by a washtub bass that confounds so-called real bassists, who have to rely on four strings to get the job done. She also plays flute, mandolin, bodhran, harmonica, ukulele, jawharp, and washboard.

The McKinney Washtub Two delivers carefully-crafted, thought-provoking material in the finest, truest sense of folk music couched in a captivating style of storytelling that pokes pomposity and fingers foibles. Their growing following attests to the contagiousness of their energy and insight. As one fan put it, "The closer you listen, the more fun you'll have."

Hospital offers free diabetes program

Mercy Hospital Grayling is offering a free diabetes education program entitled "The Diabetes Epidemic-Small Changes Equal Big Rewards" on May 12, from 1 p.m. to 2 p.m., at Good Shepherd United Methodist Church, at 303 Rising Fawn Trail, Roscommon. The program is presented by Rhonda Haske, RN, BSN, Certified Diabetes Educator and Michael Munger, Registered Dietician.

"It is important to educate our community about diabetes since there are many people living with this disease. We want community members with diabetes to learn that they can make small changes to their lifestyles that will have a big effect on their illness," said Haske.

Seating is limited so please call (989) 275-5577 to reserve your seat.



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The event was partially funded by a grant from the Michigan Council for Arts and Cultural Affairs and the Michigan Humanities Council

The Bible Speaks

Avoid Bad Debts

After completing 7 verses in Romans 13:1-7 to explain an earthly way in which God's brings about public justice by punishing evil through government, God now returns in Romans 13:8-14 to His teaching on love continued from Romans 12. "8Owe no man any thing, but to love one another: for he that loveth another hath fulfilled the law."

This teaching on love begins with an important negative: "Owe no man any thing..." It means simply be honest in your relationships with one another. You have heard the saying about our American forefathers, "his word was as good as gold." Back then contracts were often agreed upon with a handshake. If a person was really honest, his word was as good as gold. Our society is built upon honesty in our relationships with each other. Our money is just printed paper with the promise of government behind it. We have proof we own a house or car by a piece of paper called a title. We have proof of marriage by a piece of paper called a marriage license. We have proof of birthright by a birth certificate. We enter all kinds of binding social contracts and commitments by simply signing our name to a piece of paper.

Solomon, one of the wisest men who ever lived, was instructed not to lend money to even a friend without collateral or security in Proverbs 6:1-3: "1My son, if thou be surety for thy friend, if thou hast stricken thy hand with a stranger, 2Thou art snared with the words of thy mouth, thou art taken with the words of thy mouth. 3Do this now, my son, and deliver thyself, when thou art come into the hand of thy friend: go, humble thyself, and make sure thy friend." If you must co-sign a paper before someone else can get a loan, then you will be forced to pay the loan if the other person cannot or will not do so. If

you are not willing in the end to make payments as a gift to your friend, don't sign your name or loan money.

One of the best solutions to money problems is plastic surgery — cut up your credit cards. People who pay cash usually spend about a third less money than those who put things on credit. Besides that, they have more to spend if they are not forced to pay high interest rates for the money they borrow. Too many people buy things they don't need, with money they don't have, to impress people they don't like.

1 John 2:16,17 reminds us that maintaining a worldly image is both hypocritical and dangerous: "16For all that is in the world, the lust of the flesh, and the lust of the eyes, and the pride of life, is not of the Father, but is of the world. 17And the world passeth away, and the lust thereof; but he that doeth the will of God abideth for ever." We should be like Paul who said in 1 Timothy 6:8: "8And having food and raiment let us be therewith content." As Paul said in Philippians 4:11: "11Not that I speak in respect of want: for I have learned, in whatsoever state I am, therewith to be content." We should learn to pray like Solomon in Proverbs 30:8,9 that we be neither rich nor poor: "8Remove far from me vanity and lies: give me neither poverty nor riches: feed me with food convenient for me: 9Lest I be full, and deny thee, and say, Who is the LORD? or lest I be poor, and steal, and take the name of my God in vain." We should learn to live for God's blessing instead of living just for money and things. "In God We Trust!" Pastor "B"

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Obituaries



Jerry Fagan

Jerry Fagan, 78, formerly of Grayling, passed away surrounded by his loving family on April 23, 2011, at his home in Sandusky.

He was born in Palms on November 30, 1932, to the late Ralph and Saddle (McGinnis) Fagan.

He married Beverly Elliott on September 18, 1954, in Peck.

Jerry served during the Korean War in the U.S. Army. He worked at the Sanilac County Road Commission for many years. He was a former member of the K. of C. Council 1982 of Grayling. He was also a Past Grand Knight.

He is survived by his wife, Beverly; six children: Jerry Fagan II of Elk Rapids, Karen (John) Harrar of Carsonville, Deborah (Ken) Green of Sandusky, Alan "Chip" (Julie) Fagan of Grayling, Kelly (Jenny) Fagan of Jeddo, Tracy (Kay) Fagan of Traverse City; 13 grandchildren; 10 great-grandchildren; many other relatives; and his faithful companion, Mickey.

A funeral service was held on April 26, 2011 at St. Joseph Catholic Church in Sandusky. Following the mass, military rites were performed by the Crosswell American Legion.

Memorials to the family or Hartland Hospice.

Lucinda Davison

Lucinda Harriett Davison, 93, of Grayling, passed away on Tuesday April 26, 2011.

She was born in Wells Township, Tuscola County, on June 3, 1917, the daughter of the late Henry and Carolyn (Borek) Rickwalt.

She married Frank Davison on November 14, 1936 in Caro. Frank preceded her in death in 1990 after 54 years of marriage.

She was retired from Essexville Electric, where she worked as a bookkeeper.

She moved to Grayling after retirement. She and Frank traveled extensively. She enjoyed gardening and feeding the birds and deer.

She volunteered for the Mercy Hospital Auxiliary. She was a member of Mt. Hope Lutheran Church where she was also involved in the Dorcas Circle, Altar Guild, and LWML for several years.

She is survived by daughters, Janith (Robert) Shaw of Newberry, Margery (Edward) Franklin of Grayling; grandchildren: Chad, Sandra, Kristin, Kyle and Kip; nine great-grandchildren; one great great grandchild; and dear friends, Bruce and Jane Timlick.

She was preceded in death by her parents; husband; one brother; three sisters; and her daughter, Linda Davison.

A funeral service was held at Mt. Hope Lutheran Church in Grayling at 11 a.m. on Friday, April 29th, 2011 with Pastor Todd Brunworth officiating.

Interment was on Saturday, April 30, 2011 at 10:30 a.m. at Floral Gardens Cemetery Bay City.

Condolences may be sent to www.sorensonlockwood.com.

Memorial contributions may be directed to Hospice of Helping Hands, Crawford County Christian Help Center, or Mt. Hope Lutheran Church.

Arrangements entrusted to Sorenson-Lockwood Funeral Home.

Moore, Mead engaged



Shayla Moore and Kurt Mead

Shayla Moore and Kurt Mead from Phoenix, Ariz., announce their engagement.

Shayla is the daughter of Steve Moore and Sandra Moore of Grayling.

Kurt is the son of Greg and Shari Mead of Casper, Wyo.

Shayla is a 2003 Grayling High School graduate and a 2006 graduate from Central Michigan University with a Bachelors in Business Administration. She is completing her MBA from the University of Phoenix where she is employed as an Academic Counselor.

Kurt is a 2000 graduate of Carson City Crystal, and a

graduate of Kaplan University with an Associate of Arts in Information Technology. Kurt completed five years as an Electronics Technician for the United States Navy and is now completing his Bachelors in Business Management from the University of Phoenix where he is employed as a Military Enrollment Advisor. He is also a Glidden Paint Representative.

Wedding plans are in the making for a destination wedding in the fall of 2011 at Half Moon Cay, Bahamas.

Range Firing

Range activities at Camp Grayling for May 12-18 will be as follows:

Small Arms Ranges, located north of Howe Road, east of the gas pipeline, south of Portage Creek and west of Lake Margrethe, May 12-18.

Range 12, located south of the main post, bounded on the east by Carrier Rd., and west of Beaver Creek (Military Rd.), May 12.

Range 15, located south of the main post, bounded on the west by Cadillac Rd. and on the east by Carrier Rd., May 13, 15 and 17.

Range 17, Hand Grenade Range located south of the main post, north of Carrier Rd., inside of the 13 Complex, May 16.

ARF Range, located west of Lake Margrethe, north of Howe Rd., east of the gas pipeline and north of Portage Creek, May 13-18.

The 40 Complex, Air to Ground, located north of County Rd. 612, east of Guthrie Lake, south of Old State Rd. 618, and west of County Rd. F97 (Twin Bridge Rd.), May 12-13 and 16-18.

The 40 Complex, located north of County Rd. 612,

east of Guthrie Lake, south of Old State Rd. 618, and west of County Rd. F97 (Twin Bridge Rd.), May 12-18.

The 30 Complex, located north of North Down River Road, east of Jones Lake Road, south of County Road 612 and west of Bald Hill Truck Trail, May 12-15.

In addition, the following roads will be closed on May 12-15: Bucks East-West Truck Trail from Jones Lake Road to Wakeley Bridge Road; Ketchum Truck Trail from Bucks East-West to North Down River Road; Stephen Bridge Road from County Road 612 to North Down River Road; Wakeley Bridge Road from County Road 612 to North Down River Road.

This firing schedule is subject to change without notice.

Contact the Grayling Department of Natural Resources for the areas closed for hunting within the boundaries of the installation. Grayling DNR telephone number: 989-348-6371. For further information call 989-344-6100.

Senior Citizen News

Join us for a meal either at noon or 5 p.m. weekdays, except Friday, when there is no evening meal. Soup or salad bar served prior to the meal Monday through Thursday.

This week's menu (lunch/dinner) and activities:

Friday, May 6 - Lunch - chicken stir-fry, rice, asparagus and pineapple. No Dinner. 10 a.m. card golf, 1 p.m. Pantry Bingo and Pool.

Monday, May 9 - Lunch - beef goulash, cauliflower, peas and grapes. Dinner - liver and onions, mashed potatoes, carrots and peaches. 10 a.m. quilting, 12:30 p.m. Zumba Gold 1:30 p.m. clogging, 1 p.m. Bridge, 1 p.m. - 3 p.m. TEAFAP American Legion, 2:30 p.m. Bunco.

Tuesday, May 10 - Lunch - turkey, mashed potatoes with gravy, corn, green beans and orange slices. Dinner - swiss steak with gravy, mashed potatoes, Brussels sprouts and watermelon. 10 a.m. Bible Study

and Zumba Gold, 1 p.m. Euchre, 4 p.m. - 5 p.m. blood pressure/sugar checks.

Wednesday, May 11 - Lunch - breaded cod, carrots, cole slaw and applesauce. Birthday Dinner - lemon pepper chicken with noodles, carrots, peas, pears and cake and ice cream. 10 a.m. line dancing, 1 p.m. pool league and Wii Bowling, 5 p.m. Glen's Market Birthday Dinner.

Thursday, May 12 - Lunch - hamburger on a bun, lettuce, tomato, potato salad, baked beans and watermelon. Mother's Day Dinner - roast beef, mashed potatoes, Prince Charles blend, fruit salad mix and red velvet cake. 10 a.m. craft class and Pokemo, 1 p.m. UNO Attack and UnLucky 7's, 4 p.m. - 6 p.m. Mother's Day Dinner.

The Crawford County Commission on Aging's Senior Center is located at 308 Lawndale, behind Burger King in Grayling. Walk-ins are welcome.

Births

Sara and Ronald Ross, Jr., of Roscommon, announce the birth of their son, Chase Andrew, born at Mercy Hospital on April 20, 2011, at 8:20 p.m., weighing 7 lbs., 14 ozs., and measuring 21 inches in length.

Crystal and Daniel "Jason" Helms, of Grayling, announce the birth of their daughter, Abigail Mae born at Mercy Hospital on April 22, 2011, at 4:14 a.m., weighing 7 lbs., 7.6 ozs., and measuring 19 inches in length.

Sherri Burch and Xavier Harris, of Grayling, announce the birth of a daughter, Annabella Lena, born at Mercy Hospital on April 15, 2011, at 5:28 p.m., weighing 6 lbs., 9 ozs., and measuring 20 inches in length.

Mary Bolick and Daryl Jones, of Grayling, announce the birth of a son, Avery Ryan, born at Mercy Hospital on April 17, 2011, at 3:55 p.m., weighing 7 lbs., 10 ozs., and measuring 21 1/2 inches in length.

Kenny Ziebell and Jessica Mann introduce their twins Jackson James, weighing 5 lbs., 14 oz. and Jade Elizabeth, weighing 5 lbs., 9 oz. Grandparents are Bud and Debbie Mann of Higgins Lake, Dave and Rochelle West of Novi and Ken and Debbie Ziebell of Hazel Park. They were born February 18, at Butterworth Hospital in Grand Rapids. They were taken to Helen Devos Children Hospital, where Jackson was put into surgery for intestine problems. After two surgeries and 57 long days in Grand Rapids, he is out and the family is home.

Sheriff's Report

Crawford County Sheriff Kirk Wakefield reports his office handled the following 107 complaints the week of April 25 - May 1.

One EMS response, 17 general non-criminal complaints, one trees-brush-grass fire, three false alarm activations, three assault and batteries/simple assaults, two burglaries-forced entry-residences,

one burglary-breaking and entering unoccupied structure, one burglary-no forced entry-residence, three larcenies, one larceny from building, one larceny personal property from vehicle, three larcenies from yards, one larceny from mail, one motor vehicle as stolen property, one damage to property, three disorderly conduct complaints, nine public peace disorderly complaints, one anarchism, seven portable signal preemption devices, seven health and safety reports, three miscellaneous arrests, nine traffic accidents, one accident-non-traffic, three inspections-property, eight investigations-family trouble, 14 investigations-suspicious situations and one registration law violation.

Sheriff Wakefield asks, "Do you know where your children are? Please remember, our children are our future."

Raffle Winners

Grayling Youth Booster Club

The 50/50 raffle winners for May 1 of \$25 each; Tom Coors, Marty Stevenson, James Kitchen, Rich Sajdak, Jim Brown, Bill O'Mara and Rick Schmidt.

CHURCH SERVICE DIRECTORY

Church Alive!
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6441 West M-72, Grayling, MI
Church office: 989-348-5850

Saint: francisco@frontier.com
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Sunday Worship - 10am
Sunday School - 9am
Youth Group - Wed. Evenings 6:30pm
Prayer Meeting - Wed. Evenings 5:30pm
Adult Bible Study - Wed. Evenings 6:45pm
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Worship Service 10:45am

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87th District Court

Sentencings for March 2011

Hon. Monte J. Burmeister

Michael Allen Decapo Jr., age 29 of Walkerton - Sentenced on March 8, 2011, for license suspended/revoked-allowed another suspended person to operate; ordered to pay \$703 in fines or serve 70 days in jail.

Zackary Arnold Randall, age 18 of Grayling - Sentenced on March 8, 2011, for larceny less than \$200; ordered to pay \$453 in fines or serve 45 days in jail.

Michael Lloyd Wilson, age 57 of Marshall - Sentenced on March 8, 2011, for operate while visibly impaired; ordered to serve five days in jail with credit for one day served; ordered to pay \$913 in fines or serve 88 days in jail; placed on probation for 184 days.

Michael Francis Joseph, age 33 of Frederic - Sentenced on March 1, 2011, for license suspended/revoked-allowed another suspended person to operate; ordered to serve two days in jail; ordered to pay \$353 in fines or serve 35 days in jail.

Velton Ray Miller, age 30 of Grayling - Sentenced on March 8, 2011, for receiving and concealing under \$200; ordered to serve seven days in jail with credit for one day served; ordered to pay \$903 in restitution and \$160 in fines or serve 86 days in jail; placed on probation for 122 days.

Jennifer Marie Miller, age 32 of Grayling - Sentenced on March 8, 2011, for receiving and concealing under \$200; ordered to five seven days in jail with credit for one day served; ordered to pay \$903 in restitution and \$160 in fines or serve 88 days in jail; placed on probation for 122 days.

Ashley Micahe Nylund, age 27 of Frederic - Sentenced on March 22, 2011, for attempted stalking; ordered to pay \$1,133 in fines or serve 113 days in jail; placed on probation for 184 days.

Dennis Alan James, age 54 of Clinton Township - Sentenced on March 29, 2011, for impeded traffic; ordered to pay \$120 in fines.

Rodney George MacCready, age 56 of Harbor Springs - Sentenced on March 8, 2011, for license suspended/revoked-allowed another suspended person to operate; ordered to pay \$263 in fines or serve 26 days in jail.

Michael Rossi Hubbard, age 23 of Newberry - Sentenced on March 22, 2011, for controlled substance use of marijuana; ordered to serve seven days in jail; ordered to pay \$713 in fines or serve 71 days in jail; placed on probation for 184 days.

Michael Ralph Neorr, age 46 of Houghton Lake - Sentenced on March 1, 2011, for license suspended/revoked-allowed another suspended person to operate; ordered to pay \$703 in fines or serve 73 days in jail.

Robert Nicholas Harper, age 30 of Frederic - Sentenced on March 8, 2011, for license suspended/revoked-allowed another suspended person to operate; ordered to serve four days in jail; ordered to pay \$353 in fines or serve 35 days in jail.

Andrew Robert Tapia Jr., age 30 of Roscommon - Sentenced on March 1, 2011, for license suspended/revoked-allowed another suspended person to operate; ordered to serve 10 days in jail; ordered to pay \$473 in fines or serve 47 days in jail; placed on probation for 122 days.

David Alfred Forde, age 52 of Lake Orion - Sentenced on March 8, 2011, for impeded traffic; ordered to pay \$120 in fines.

Kevin Lavern Slack, age

39 of Saginaw - Sentenced on March 29, 2011, for license suspended/revoked-allowed another suspended person to operate; ordered to pay \$613 in fines or serve 61 days in jail.

Michael Brooks Shackleton II, age 23 of Grand Rapids - Sentenced on March 15, 2011, for failure to use care while passing an emergency vehicle; ordered to pay \$943 in fines or serve 94 days in jail; placed on probation for 184 days.

Andrew James Spencer, age 26 of Grayling - Sentenced on March 8, 2011, for operating without security and license suspended/revoked-allowed another suspended person to operate; ordered to pay \$816 in fines or serve 81 days in jail; placed on probation for 184 days.

Chelsea Marie Partello, age 19 of Grayling - Sentenced on March 15, 2011, for person under 21 purchase/consume/possess liquor; ordered to pay \$383 in fines; placed on probation for 122 days.

Brian Christopher Szyska, age 48 of Higgins Lake - Sentenced on March 29, 2011, for license suspended/revoked-allowed another suspended person to operate; ordered to serve 12 days in jail; ordered to pay \$703 in fines or serve 70 days in jail.

Robert Myron Tucker, age 28 of Houghton Lake - Sentenced on March 29, 2011, for operating without security; ordered to pay \$373 in fines or serve 37 days in jail.

Harold Scott Hicks, age 40 of Boyne City - Sentenced on March 8, 2011, for no proof of insurance; ordered to pay \$160 in fines.

Jeremy Lawrence Johnson, age 28 of Mio - Sentenced on March 29, 2011, for license suspended/revoked-allowed another suspended person to operate; ordered to pay \$263 in fines or serve 26 days in jail.

Richard Lynn Lafleche, age 31 of Roscommon - Sentenced on March 1, 2011, for no proof of insurance; ordered to pay \$160 in fines.

Jason Michael Helsel, age 31 of Grayling - Sentenced on March 29, 2011, for failure to stop after collision; ordered to pay \$273 in fines or serve 27 days in jail.

Daniel Eugene Brown, age 40 of Grayling - Sentenced on March 15, 2011, for assault/battery; ordered to serve 20 days in jail with credit or six days served; ordered to pay \$1,013 in fines or serve 73 days in jail; placed on probation for 184 days.

Gary Allen Chippeway, age 23 of Mt. Pleasant - Sentenced on March 29, 2011, for snowmobiles-operate with license suspended or revoked; ordered to pay \$263 in fines or serve 26 days in

jail.

Michael Lee Hinkle, age 24 of Grayling - Sentenced on March 29, 2011, for operating while intoxicated; ordered to serve 10 days in jail with credit for two days served; ordered to pay \$933 in fines or serve 83 days in jail; placed on probation for 184 days.

Keith Alan Stuart, age 26 of Frederic - Sentenced on March 15, 2011, for no proof of insurance; ordered to pay \$160 in fines.

Charles Kevin Pearse, age 32 of South Lyon - Sentenced on March 21, 2011, for impeded traffic; ordered to pay \$120 in fines.

Carmen Marie Phipps, age 31 of Grayling - Sentenced on March 15, 2011, for impeded traffic; ordered to pay \$120 in fines.

Terry Allen Neely, age 33 of Warren - Sentenced on March 15, 2011, for operate while visibly impaired; ordered to pay \$903 in fines or serve 90 days in jail; placed on probation for 122 days.

Michael Patrick Alimenti, age 21 of Grayling - Sentenced on March 29, 2011, for operate while visibly impaired; ordered to pay \$1,396 in fines or serve 139 days in jail; placed on proba-

tion for 368.

Joseph Arthur Smith Jr., age 39 of Manistee - Sentenced on March 22, 2011, for attempt-police-assault/restrict/obstruct; ordered to pay \$1,118 in fines or serve 93 days in jail; placed on probation for 184.

Trevor Lawrence Orr, age 39 of Roscommon - Sentenced on March 22, 2011, for no proof of insurance; ordered to pay \$160 in fines.

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Anglers of the AuSable protest Supreme Court's decision to vacate previous ruling

An ultra conservative majority of justices on the Michigan Supreme Court, formed when two new justices were seated in January 2011, vacated an important environmental case regarding the AuSable River last week that was fully decided in late December 2010.

The case, Anglers of the AuSable v. the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ), had restored rights of Michigan citizens to bring lawsuits to protect the environment and water, including the state's treasured lakes and streams, under Michigan's Constitution and the

Michigan Environmental Protection Act.

In its comprehensive December 2010 decision, the Supreme Court reversed a Court of Appeals decision that had undermined the rights of riparian landowners and the public in lakes and streams, and cut off the rights of citizens to bring suits under the Michigan Environmental Protection Act against the state for issuing permits that harm or pollute the environment.

However, in early 2011 newly elected Republican Attorney General Bill Schuette played a purely political card when he asked the Supreme Court to rehear the case. He reportedly indicated that the newly elected conservative Justices to the Court could provide a basis to overturn the Court's December decision. Schuette's motion raised no new issues that had not already been completely deliberated and decided by the Court. The only change was the seating of newly elected Justice Mary Beth Kelly, who defeated Justice Alton Davis of Grayling in the November 2010 general election, and newly appointed Justice Brian Zahra, who replaced Justice Maureen Corrigan, who left the bench to head the Michigan

Department of Health Services.

The case, which has now been addressed twice by the highest court in the state, stems from a plan to discharge treated water into Kolke Creek, located at the Headwaters of the AuSable River. The release of water into the creek would address groundwater contamination near an oil well drilling site in Otsego County.

Merit Energy now owns the well site property, formerly owned by Shell Oil. The DEQ approved the remediation plan. But the Anglers of the AuSable and Janie Simpson, a property owner downstream from the proposed discharge site, successfully received an injunction to stop the release of treated water. In December, the Supreme Court found that the massive 1.15 million gallons per day discharge was "manifestly unreasonable."

Under long-standing custom, newly elected Justices generally have not participated in rehearing cases that the Court fully argued and decided prior to their taking a seat on the Court. And based on established precedents, the Supreme Court generally denies a motion for rehearing if the motion is

based on a change in the political make up of the Court or it does not present any new significant issues.

"The December decision should have put a period on a long-expensive struggle by citizens to right a wrong to protect our water and environment," said Jim Olson, one of the lead attorneys for the Anglers of the AuSable, the organization who fought and won the decision in December 2010.

"Unfortunately, it appears the taint of pure politics turned the taste of justice sour."

Bruce Pregler, president of the Anglers of AuSable, agreed.

"The decision is a slap in the face to the citizens of Michigan who depend upon the plain meaning of our laws that grant them the right to bring actions in our courts to protect our water and environment," Pregler said. "It's another decision for big business, and against citizens, the environment, and our economic recovery, which depends on our pure water and environment."

Simpson said interests with greater resources out-matched citizens.

"A political pawn game favored politics over the rights of citizens in Michigan to expose wrongdoing by government and deep pockets," Simpson said.

Gaylord attorney Susan Topp, who represented Simpson, said the Supreme Court should not have addressed the case a second time.

"Rehearing was not warranted," Topp said. "Nothing changed. There were no new issues. No new laws. Just two new justices and our rightful victory was gone in a blink of an eye."

On a positive note, Pregler said the Supreme Court's order does not affect the trial court's injunction to prevent Merit Energy's plan to discharge the treated water.

"Kolke Creek and the AuSable River remain protected for now, and we live to fight another day," Pregler said.

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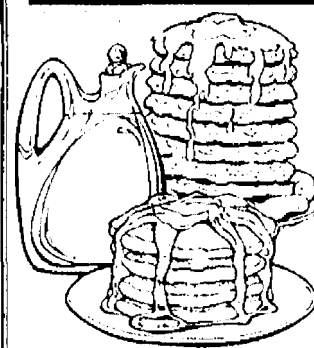
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Library News

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GMS names students of the month



The students selected as Grayling Middle School Students of the Month for March are: (from left to right, back row) Leonard Anglemeyer, Kaitlyn Bergan, Johnathan Bevier, Chrissy Bonamie, Danielle Dwyer, Autumn Hayter, Emily Jackson; (middle row) Dallas Johnson, Danielle Linderer, Jeremiah McRath, Damian Molands, Anastasia Oberg, Chelsea Randall, Brelynn Ross, Austin Sheppard; (front row) Rosalynn Stephan, Ashley Stout, Sierra Stout, Hunter Ward, Boomer Wingard; (not pictured) Ariel Collier.

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Second Trimester

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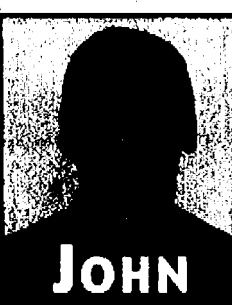
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Plans for fuel sales at Crawford County Air Terminal fly forward

by Dan Sanderson
 Staff Writer

Crawford County officials have charted the next stage for development of the Crawford County Air Terminal.

The Crawford County Air Terminal is located just north of the Grayling Army Airfield on land owned by the State of Michigan. The Grayling Army Airfield is on property owned by the federal government.

County officials will advertise for bids to provide aviation fuel at the Crawford County Air Terminal, starting on Tuesday, May 3.

Maj. Jim Robson, facilities engineer for Camp Grayling, and Staff Sgt. Chris Cook, manager for the Grayling Army Airfield, will oversee criteria for the companies submitting bids. The deadline for the Crawford County Airport Board to award a contract has been set for June 3.

The total cost for development of a fuel farm at the Crawford County Air Terminal is just under \$500,000. The project is being funded through a

Federal Aviation Administration grant, passed through the Michigan Department of Transportation.

Crawford County Administrator Paul Compo said the state and county officials have access to \$355,000 for the first-phase of the fuel farm development.

The first-phase of the project includes installing a 10,000-gallon tank for aviation fuel and other necessary equipment at the Crawford County Airfield Terminal. The local fund-matching for the county is \$9,000, which county officials are hopeful they can pledge through in-kind services.

"We expect that what work can be done out there locally, we'll put a price tag on that and say this is our match for phase-one," Compo said.

Providing fuel at the Crawford Air Terminal puts the county in a classic good-news-bad news business situation for the county.

The good news is providing fuel will create more opportunities for eco-

nomie development and transient and tourism travel for business meetings, fly-fishing outings, snowmobiling and ORV trips, Compo said. The bad news is the county will face filling the fuel tank as fuel prices continue to spike.

"The initial cost of filling that tank will be significant, but we'll have to address that at that point," Compo said.

The actual fuel farm will be located outside the 17 acres leased for the Crawford County Air Terminal on Grayling Army Airfield property.

The next phase of the fuel project includes providing jet fuel through the fuel farm. That could be a win-win for pilots coming to the Crawford Air Terminal and the military, which would require installing a larger tank than what will be used to supply regular aviation fuel.

"They don't have fuel support out there and that has been an issue for a long-long time," said County Commissioner Scott Hanson, a Camp Grayling employee and former member of the Michigan National Guard at the base.

Rick Anderson, vice-chairman of the Crawford County Board of Commissioners, noted that the fuel farm would come under the jurisdiction of Camp Grayling if a national threat is declared.

Under direction of the late Col. Dennis Hull, a former Camp Grayling

Post Commander, Camp Grayling officials began working to develop the air terminal with Crawford County leaders. The terminal allows civilian pilots more ease in accessing the airport and their airplanes in case the Grayling Army Airfield goes under a security lockdown. The Grayling Army Airfield and civilian traffic was shut down for five to six days following the 9/11 terrorist attacks, Anderson said.

Having the fuel farm in place will give the Crawford County Airport Board a greater ability to plan for future storage of airplanes and administration at the Crawford County Air Terminal. Currently, four of eight T-hangers are rented and two remain available for transient pilots. One pilot is on a waiting list to rent a hanger and two other pilots have inquired about long-term leases.

The fuel farm will improve chances of bringing a fixed based operator, who would oversee hanger leases, fuel sales and maintain airplanes. The county's development at the airfield would then allow county officials to decide if it would build more T-hangers for individual planes or if a larger building will be necessary where planes can be stored and maintained.

"We haven't had fuel sales so it's hard to guess where to go from here," Anderson said.

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Meghan Beard controls the ball for the Vikings vs. TC Liberty on Thursday.



Marie Lautrup handles an airborne ball during last Thursday's game.

Late goal wins it for GHS, 2-1, vs. Traverse City

Soccer team also posts 8-0 victory at Houghton Lake

With a goal in the final five minutes, Grayling High School's varsity girls soccer team defeated Traverse City Liberty — a combination of Traverse City Christian and Traverse City St. Francis — by a final score of 2-1 during a rainy Thursday night last week at GHS.

"At the beginning of the game we went over how important it was to play good defense and we would get opportunities on offense. The girls came out and played tough. Both teams struggled to control the ball because of the wet and windy conditions," Coach Craig Cobb said.

The score was 0-0 at half-time.

"In the second half we came out determined to jockey on defense and make sure we took better care of the ball," Coach Cobb said.

At the 18:47 mark Hannah Haven scored a goal on a corner kick from Alyssa Morley, shooting the

ball past the Traverse City goalkeeper.

Approximately four minutes later Traverse City scored to tie the contest at 1-1.

At the 4:14 mark Shelby Pippin scored, kicking the ball in the net after it deflected off the goalie following a shot by Haven.

"I'm very proud of the girls," Coach Cobb said. "This was a tough game and we really sealed up (Traverse City)'s offense with stellar defense and took advantage of every opportunity. This is the first time we have ever beaten (Traverse City). It was awesome."

Grayling goalkeeper Ciara Summers had 13 saves.

The Vikings won 8-0 in a night game played at Houghton Lake on Friday.

"We started out pounding the ball at Houghton Lake's defense. Hannah Haven scored first by beating the

defense to the outside, cut to the middle, and put it in the corner about five minutes in. We quickly put in two, three, four, and then scored goal number five about five minutes before (halftime)," Coach Cobb said.

"I moved some players around in the second half to see if we could find some other avenues for goal production. We saw it with two of our defensive players scoring in the second half," Coach Cobb said. "The game ended early as we put in the eighth goal with 13 minutes left."

Haven had three goals. Emily Wingard had two. Carlie Money, Summers, and Tandy Mitchell each had one goal. Pippin had two assists. Summers had four saves in goal.

"It was another great game," Coach Cobb said. "This time we dominated the whole game. The girls pursued every ball, played outstanding defense, and

just were constantly on the attack."

"I'm very proud of the progress we have made. We have a lot of season left and the girls are hungry to not only improve but also to get more of those wins," Coach Cobb said.

The Vikings (4-1 overall, 3-1 league) will host Boyne City, a conference opponent, at 5 p.m. on Thursday, May 5.



Alyssa Morley, left, and Peggy Curriston, right, kick the ball for the Vikings on Thursday night vs. the Rayders.



Ciara Summers punts the ball.

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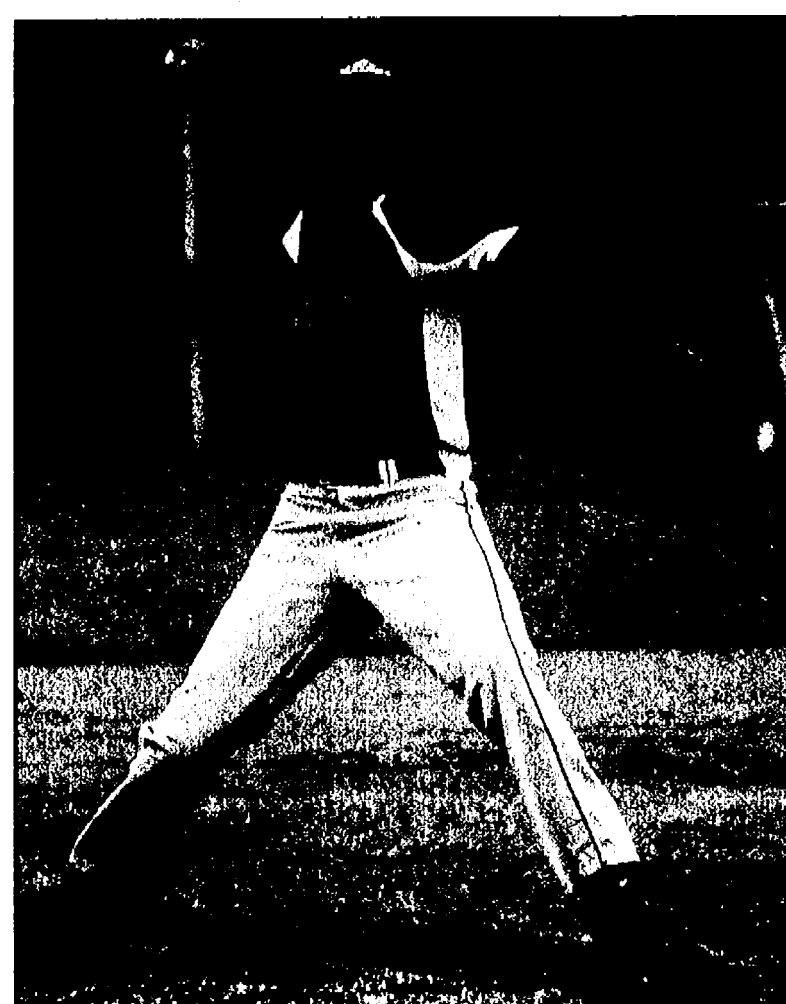
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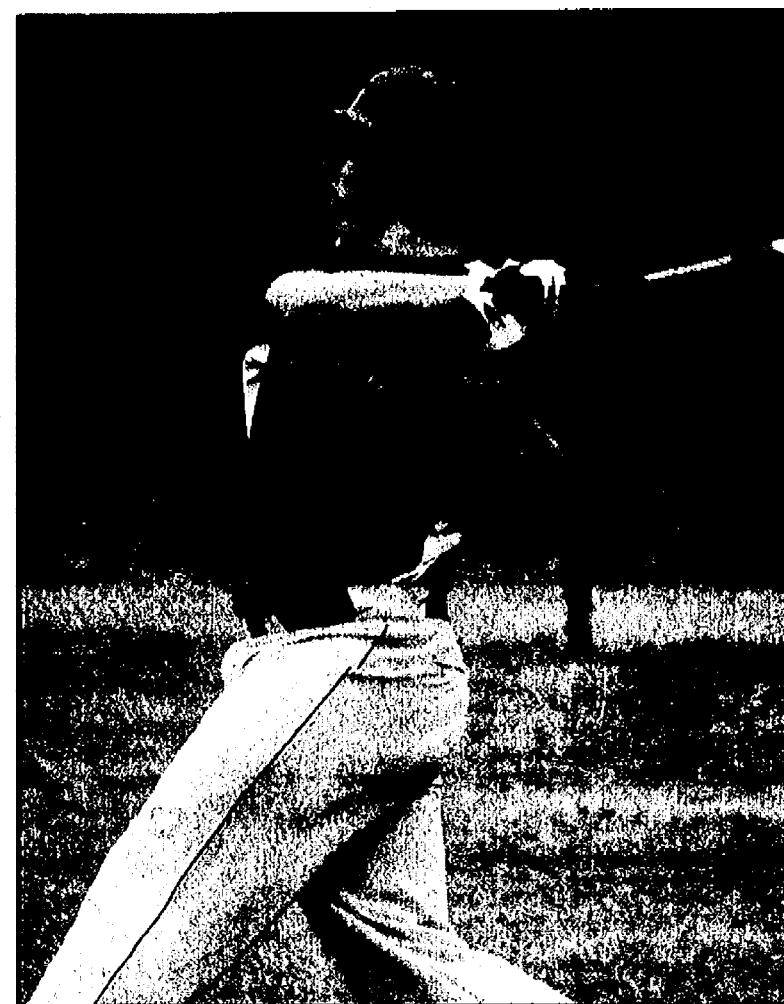
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Zach Wolcott throws a pitch for Grayling on Thursday night.



Jake Helsel puts the ball in play for the Vikings vs. Charlevoix.

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Vikings win 7-0, 9-2 in league baseball series vs. Rayders

Grayling posts 1-1 record at Standish tournament

The Grayling Vikings defeated the visiting Charlevoix Rayders 7-0, 9-2 in a varsity baseball double-header played last Thursday. The two wins improved Grayling's league record to 3-1.

The Vikings won 7-0 in game one. Pitcher Zach Wolcott (2-0) threw a complete game one-hitter, striking out 13 batters. Jensen

Aubry (1-1) picked up the victory in game two, a 9-2 win for GHS.

Riley Zigila hit a home run in game one for the Vikings. Aubry hit a three-run homer in game two and Ethan Lewis hit a solo home run in the contest.

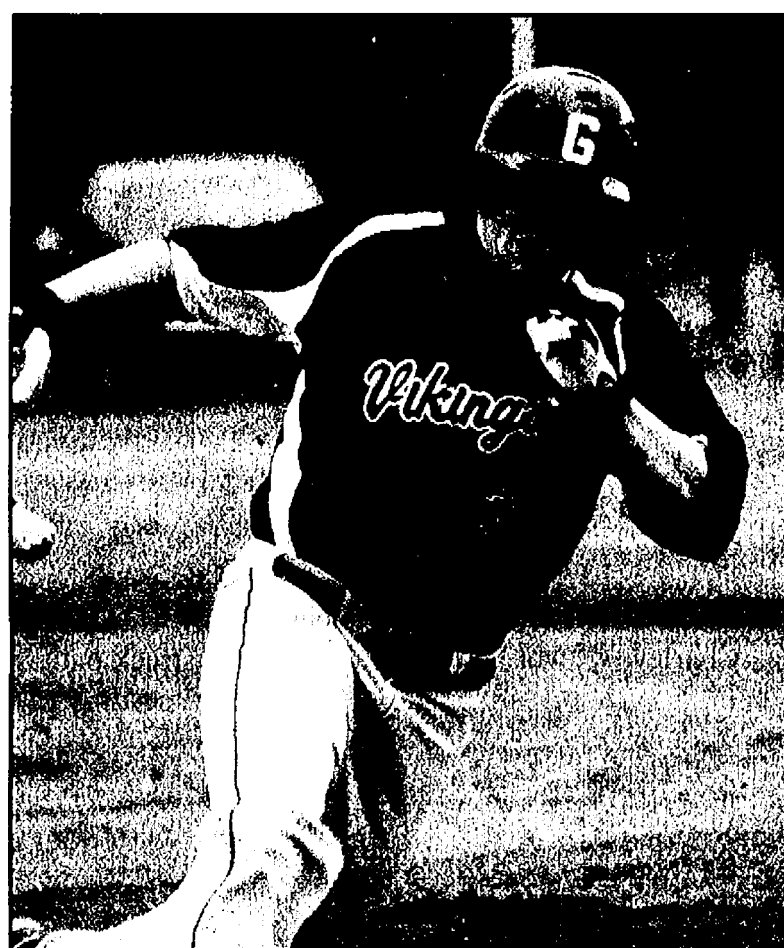
"The guys came ready to play tonight. We were starting to get cabin fever having to practice in the gym all the time," Coach Bret Krabill said. "Zach took control in game one and pitched a very well rounded game. Ethan Lewis had a monster night, going 5 for 5 and having five RBIs."

"We are getting better as a team, but we still have a lot we need to work on, but overall I am happy with our performance," Coach Krabill said.

Grayling posted one win and one loss during Saturday's Standish Invitational tournament.

The Vikings fell 11-3 vs. Standish in their first game of the event.

"Standish came ready to play and were a solid hitting team top to bottom. We came out flat in that game,"



Ethan Lewis rounds third base and heads for home on Thursday night.

Coach Krabill said. "There were some positives. Michael Branch picked up his first varsity hit on the first pitch he saw. Also Zach Wolcott came in and pitched and showed that he can throw against good teams."

"I would have liked for us to play better, but I hope that

we got it out of our system and come ready to play next week," Coach Krabill said.

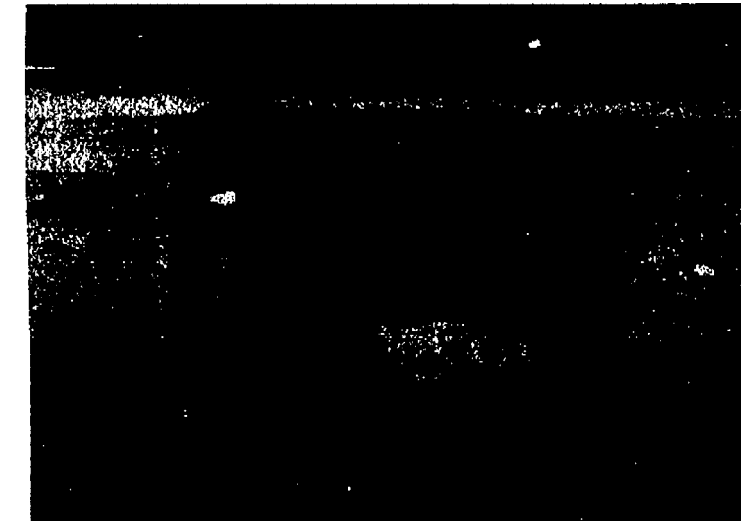
The Vikings defeated Uby 5-4 in their second game. Lewis (2-0) picked up the win and Aubry recorded his second save of the season.

Wolcott, Jake Helsel, and Luke Schneider had two hits apiece.

"We didn't play our best baseball, but we played well enough to win," Coach Krabill said.

Grayling (6-2 overall, 3-1 league) will host East Jordan at 4:30 p.m. on Friday, May 6.

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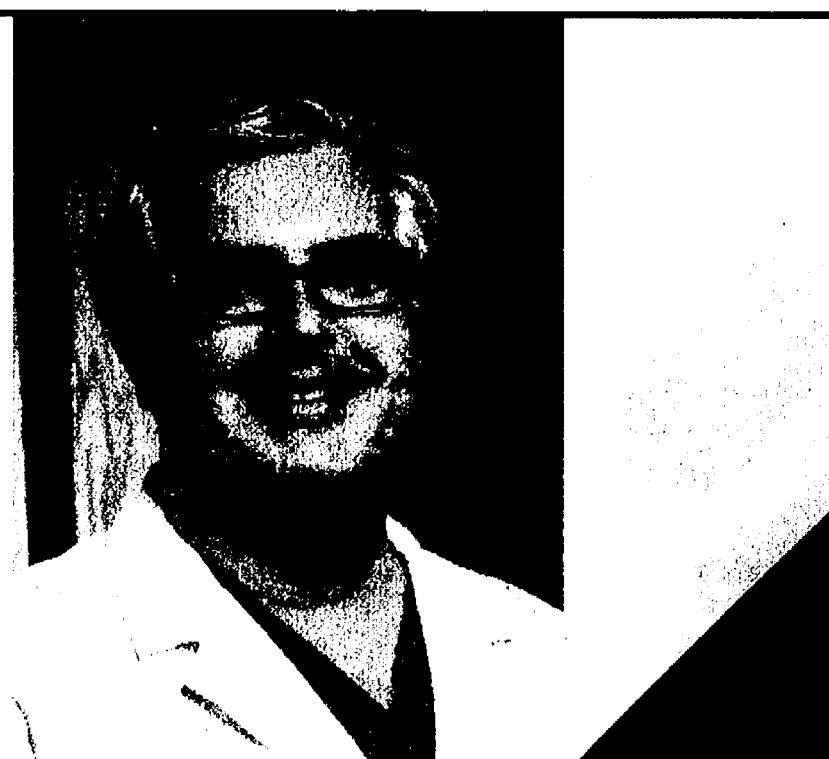
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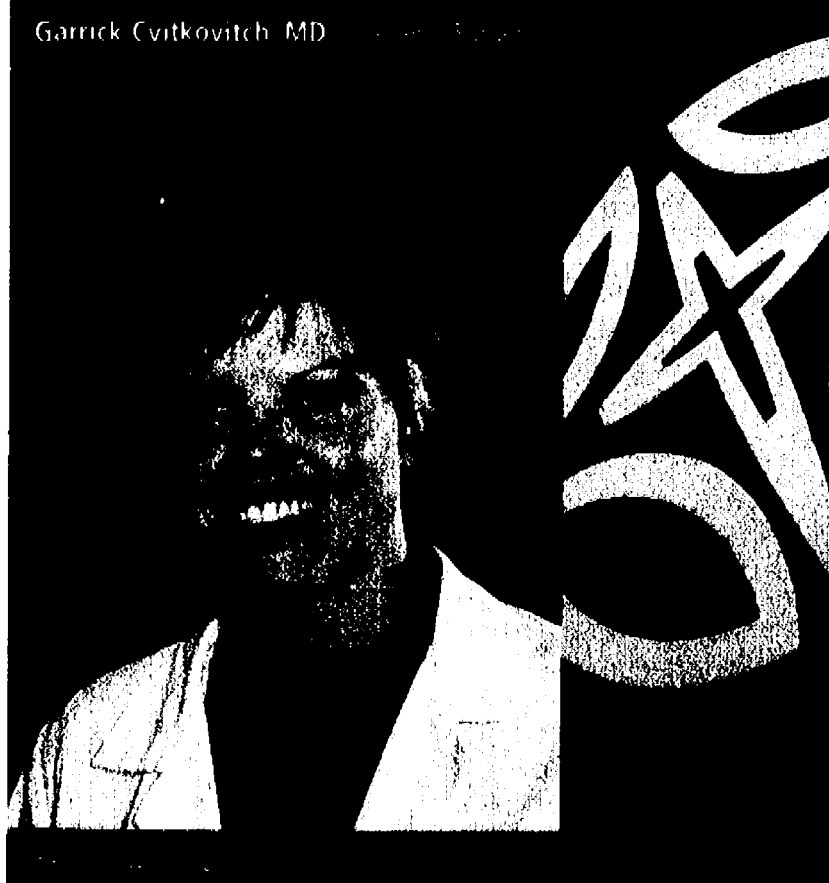


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Riley Zigila runs to third base.

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Catcher Caitlin Prosser completes a diving catch during last Thursday's varsity softball series vs. Charlevoix.

Vikings win one, lose one at St. Louis softball tournament

Grayling shut out twice by Charlevoix in league series

Grayling High School's varsity softball team failed to score a run in two league games vs. the visiting Charlevoix Rayders on Thursday, falling 11-0, 6-0 during a cold, rainy evening.

Grayling lost 11-0 in the first game.

Kara Malm, the starting pitcher, left the contest after being hit by a line drive. Meagan Malm finished the game. Both pitchers had two strikeouts.

At the plate, Tabatha Watkins was 1 for 2 for GHS.

Charlevoix won 6-0 in game two.

Andrea Malm pitched for Grayling. She finished with four strikeouts.

Watkins was 1 for 2. Shalee Miller was 1 for 3 with a double.

The Vikings played two games on Saturday during the St. Louis Invitational tournament, winning one and losing one.

Grayling fell 4-2 vs. Chippewa Hills.

A. Malm pitched for GHS. She had three strikeouts.

Miller was 2 for 3 (including a triple) with one RBI and one run scored. Caitlin Prosser was 1 for 3. Watkins was 1 for 3.

Grayling defeated Portland St. Pats 15-5 in its second game of the tournament.

K. Malm struck out eight batters in four innings of work. M. Malm and A. Malm each pitched one inning.

Miller was 3 for 3 with two doubles, one run scored, one stolen base, and



Shortstop Kirstie Wakeley throws to first base during last week's series vs. the Rayders.

two RBIs. Cierra Prosser was 3 for 5 with two doubles, one run scored, and one RBI. Ca. Prosser was 3 for 4 with four RBIs and

one run scored. The Vikings (4-4 overall, 1-3 league) will host East Jordan at 4:30 p.m. on Friday, May 6.



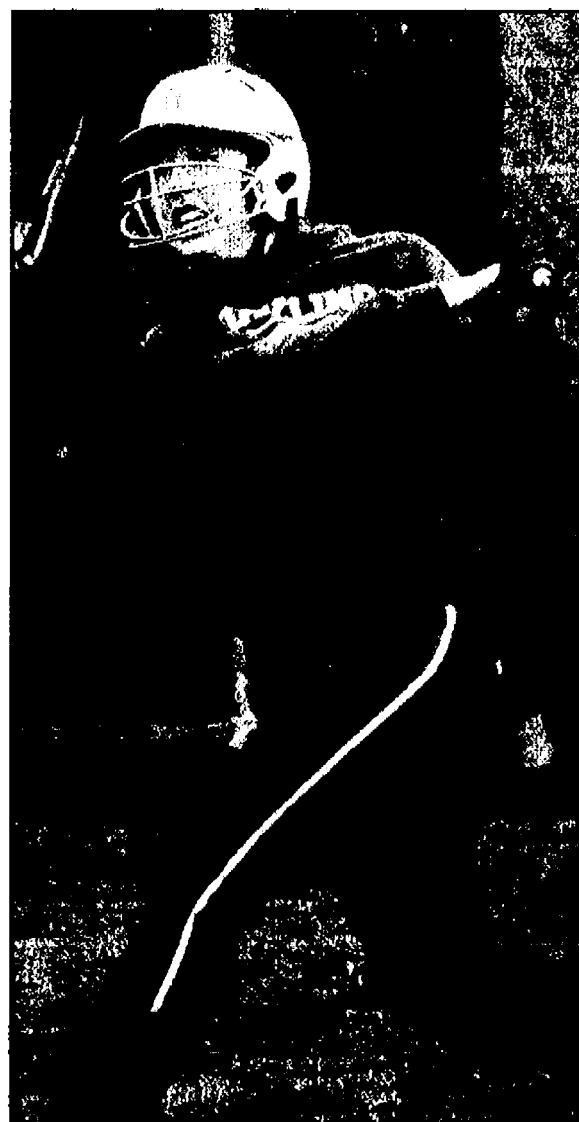
Majerle Nielson puts the ball in play for Grayling on Thursday.



Madi Junttila drops the bat after drawing a walk vs. Charlevoix.



Tabatha Watkins, left, runs from second base to third vs. Charlevoix on Thursday. Meagan Malm, right, hits the ball for Grayling.



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Keanu Quintana competes in the 3200m run at Kalkaska on Monday.



Nick Dorn gets set during a sprint event at Kalkaska.

Boys track team opens year with meets at West Branch, Kalkaska

The GHS boys track squad had several top-three finishes during last Monday's four-team conference meet hosted by Kalkaska. It was Grayling's first meet of the season.

"The team did really well," Coach Dan Helms said. "The athletes did an outstanding job considering we have had some very stubborn winter weather."

The top performances for Grayling: Scott Parkinson,

110m hurdles, 2nd, 18.34; 300m hurdles, 2nd, 47.74; Nick Dorn, 100m dash, 2nd, 12.59; Jordan Bulmer, mile run, 2nd, 5:29.84; Curtis Wilson, 400m dash, 1st, 56.59; Cody Myers, 200m dash, 2nd, 23.62; Peyton Zigila, two-mile run, 3rd, 12:05.12; Griffin Dean, shot put, 2nd, 38'5.25"; Dorn, Xavier Lindsey, Evan Korneli, Myers, 400m relay, 2nd, 45.19; Korneli, Bulmer, Joe White, Wilson,

mile relay, 2nd, 4:07.41.

Coach Helms said the team also got strong performances from Bulmer in the 800m run and long jump, Lindsey in the 100m dash, Dorn in the 200m dash, Wilson in the 200m dash and long jump, and Keanu Quintana in the two-mile run.

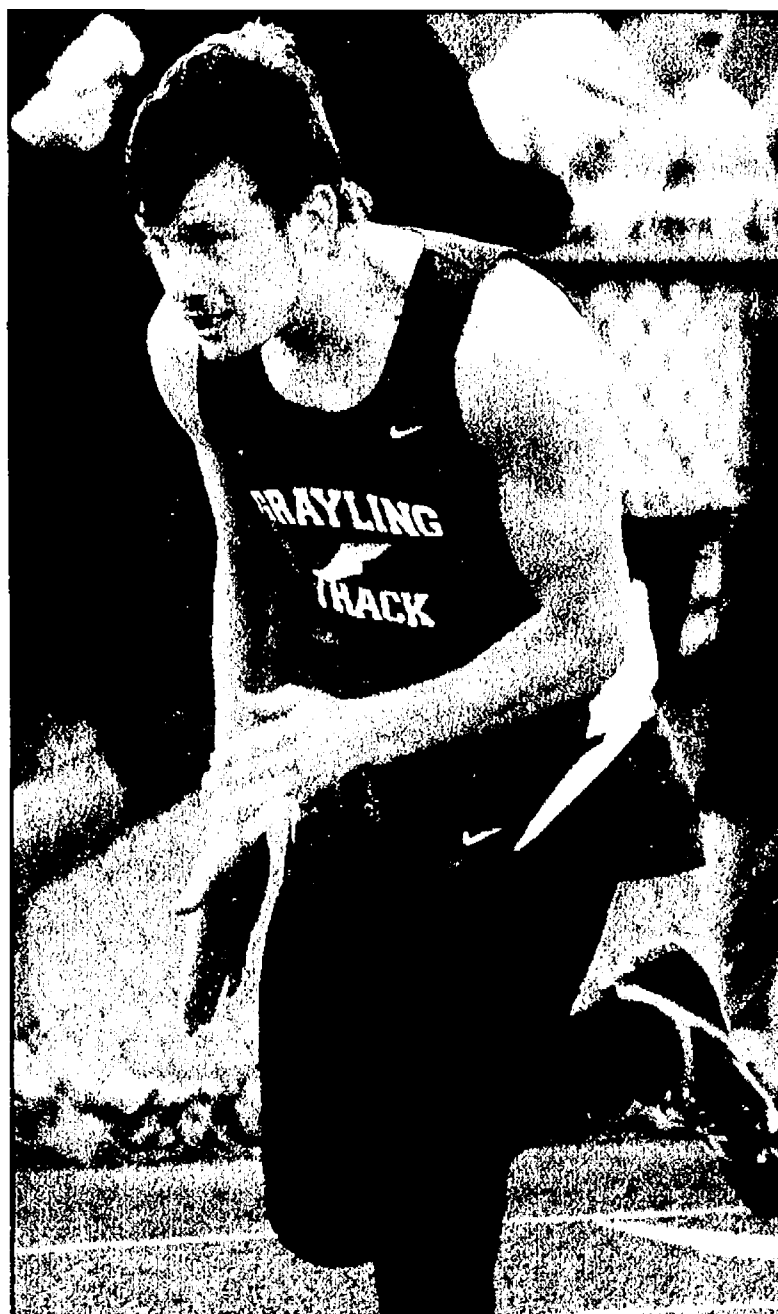
The Vikings competed in a 12-team invitational meet on Friday at Ogemaw Heights High School in

West Branch.

Placements for Grayling included: Dorn, 2nd, 100m dash, 11.77, 5th, 200m dash, 24.22; Myers, 5th, 100m dash, 11.98, 3rd, 200m dash, 24.11; Wilson, 6th, 400m dash, 57.15; Parkinson, 7th, 110m hurdles, 18.66, 8th, 300m hurdles, 48.56; Dorn, Wilson, Korneli, Myers, 3rd, 4x100m relay, 47.14, 3rd, 4x200m relay, 1:37.78.



Peyton Zigila competes in the 3200m run event at Kalkaska on April 25.



Paul Ferris sprints on Monday night during a league meet at Kalkaska.

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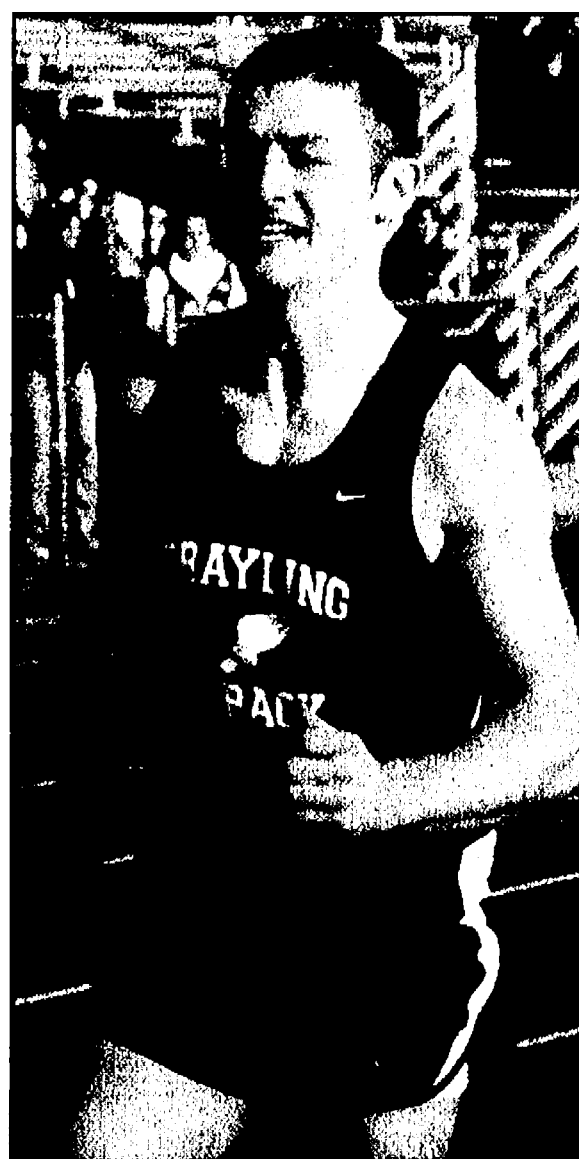
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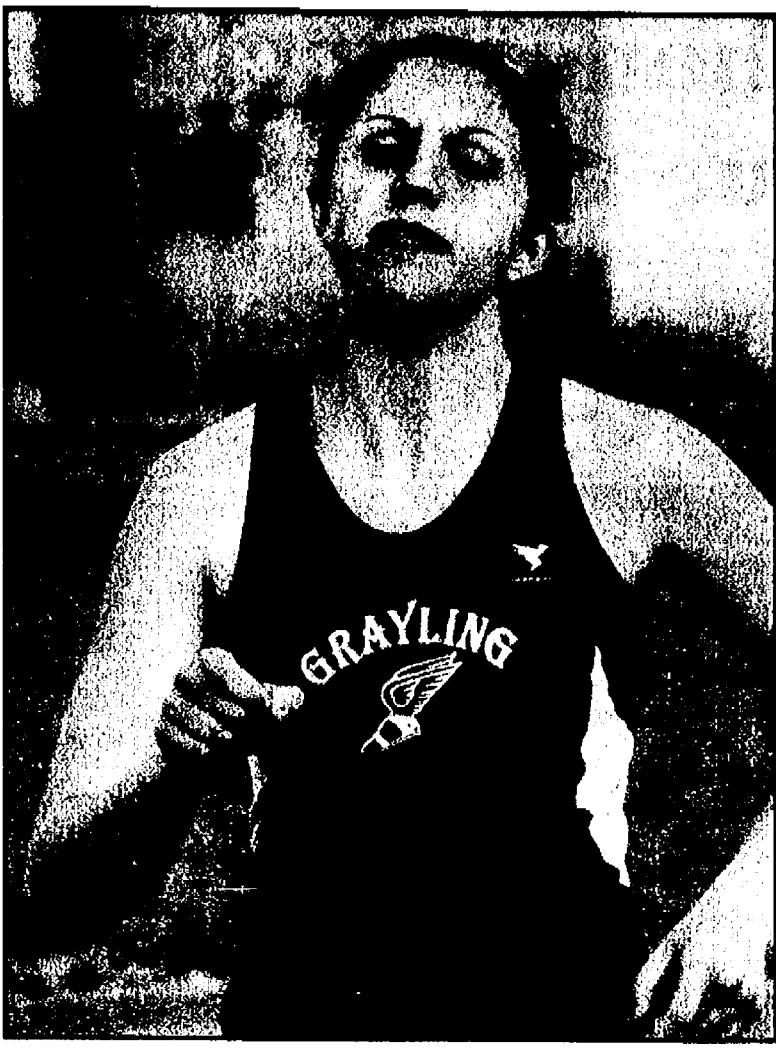


Curtis Wilson, left, and Jordan Bulmer, right, run in relay races for the Vikings on Monday night.



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Jo Hamlin runs in a long distance event for the Vikings at Kalkaska.



Brooke Leblanc sets up for the start of the 200m dash on Monday night.

Girls track team competes at Kalkaska, Ogemaw to start season

The GHS girls track team competed in its first two meets of the season last week.

On Monday the Vikings placed third out of four league squads during a four-team meet at Kalkaska. Traverse City St. Francis took first (82), Kalkaska was second (54), Grayling third (47), and Elk Rapids fourth (27).

Richelle Grosskopf, who won the shot put event (25'10.75"), was Grayling's only first place finisher. Grosskopf took second in the discus event (73'9").

Josie Swander tied for second in the high jump (4'7"). Samantha Hansen took third in the 100m relay (14.84). Jo Hamlin finished second in the 800m run (2:33.84). Shanley Dorn placed second in the 200m dash (28.00).

The team took fifth out of six teams in the "large school" division of Friday's Falcon April Invitational at Ogemaw Heights High School.

The following placements earned team points for the Vikings: Hansen, 5th, 100m dash, 14.03; Dorn, 1st, 200m dash, 28.62; Kristi

Helsel, 8th, 400m dash, 1:12.30; Hamlin, 3rd, 800m run, 2:46.79, 2nd, 1600m run, 6:05.07; Aleeshia Allison, 5th, 300m hurdles, 58.11; Swander, 8th, 300m hurdles, 59.73, 4th (tie), high jump, 4'2"; Dorn, Allison, Hansen, Maddie Benardo, 1st, 4x100m relay, 53.95; Hansen, Swander, Hamlin, Helsel, 4th, 4x400m relay, 4:46.

"I am very proud of their performances so far," Coach Tim Gariglio said. "We still have a lot of work to do with regionals sneaking up on us. Getting them into shape for

regionals will be our focus for the next few weeks. The first conference meet went well and everyone was able to get rid of the first meet jitters. The Ogemaw Heights invitational went very well. Shanley Dorn and Jo Hamlin had outstanding performances throughout the day."

The track team will compete in the East Jordan Invitational on Thursday, May 12.



Josie Swander, left, carries the baton for Grayling during the 4x400m relay on Monday. Sirria Martin, right, sprints in the 200m dash.



Samantha Hansen runs in a relay race.

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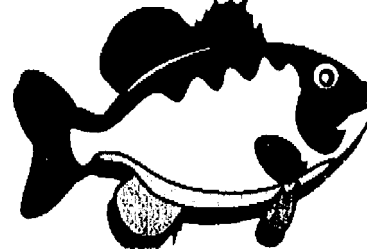
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Girls basketball honors include all-state, all-league awards

Grayling High School's varsity girls basketball program recently announced its awards for the 2011 season, a batch that included one all-state honor, two all-league selections, and several team awards.

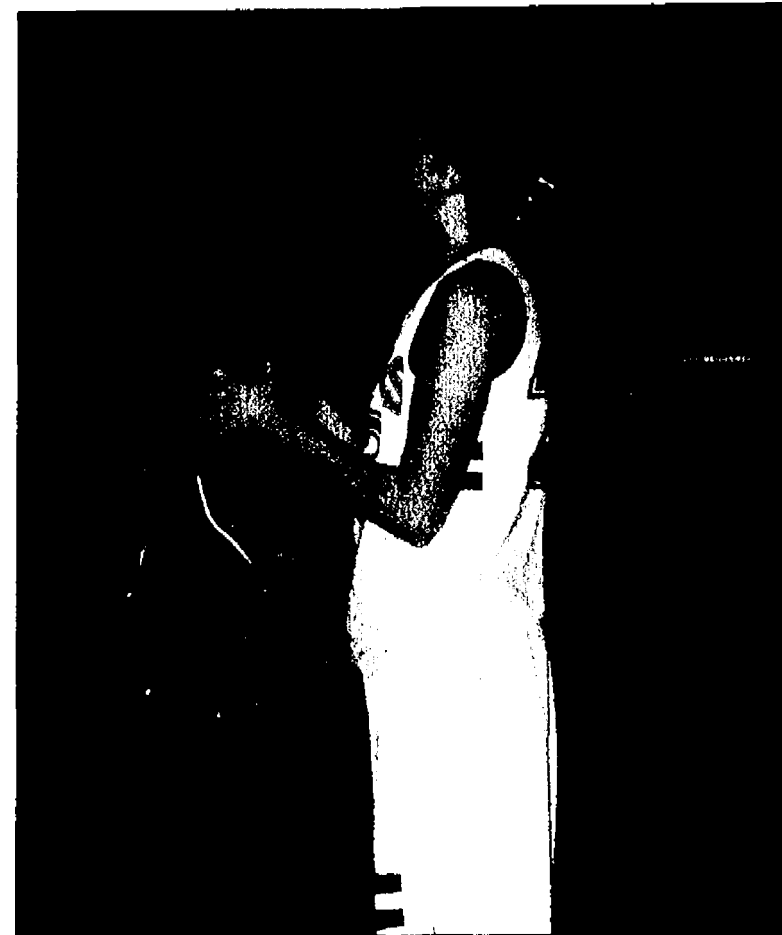
Jo Hamlin, the team's leading scorer this year at 12.3 points per game (271 total), earned an all-state honorable mention from the *Detroit Free Press*. She was also named to the all-league first team in the Lake Michigan Conference and was named the squad's most valuable player. Hamlin also led the team in assists this year with 78.

Abbey Thomas was an all-league honorable mention. She also won the squad's "Windex Award"

("for cleaning the glass," leading rebounder). Thomas led the team in total rebounds (162) and blocked shots (45) while averaging 10.8 points per game (third best on the team).

Teresa Schreiber won the team's "Bandit Award" ("for the most steals and deflections"). She had 84 steals and 152 deflections, by far the most on the team in both categories. Schreiber also had the second highest scoring average for Grayling at 11.7 points per game.

Ann Hamlin was named most improved player. She was second on the team in rebounding (161) and averaged 5.9 points per game.



Jo Hamlin

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NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

THIS FIRM IS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY INFORMATION WE OBTAIN WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. PLEASE CONTACT OUR OFFICE AT THE NUMBER BELOW IF YOU ARE IN ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY. ATTENTION PURCHASERS: This sale may be rescinded by the foreclosing mortgagee. In that event, your damages, if any, shall be limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest.

Default having been made in the terms and conditions of a certain Mortgage made between GRANT McKINNEY, a single man, whose address is 2593 Wynnewood Road, Grayling, Michigan 49738, as Mortgagor, and FIRSTBANK-WEST BRANCH MORTGAGE COMPANY, a Michigan banking corporation, whose address is 502 West Houghton Avenue, West Branch, Michigan 48661, as Mortgagee, dated June 14, 2006, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Crawford County, Michigan on June 23, 2006, in Liber 682, Page 103, upon which Mortgage is claimed to be due at the date of this notice the sum of EIGHTY-FIVE THOUSAND FOUR HUNDRED THIRTY-SEVEN AND 65/100 (\$85,437.65) DOLLARS, and no suit or proceedings at law or equity having been instituted to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof;

NOW, THEREFORE, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that on May 11, 2011, at 10:00 a.m., said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale at public auction to the highest bidder, in the lobby of the Courthouse in the City of Grayling, County of Crawford, Michigan (that being the building where the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford is held) of the premises described in said Mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount due of said Mortgage, with interest thereon at 6.8750% per annum, and all legal costs, expenses and charges, including the attorney fees allowed by law, and also any sums which may be paid by the undersigned to protect its interest in the premises, which said premises are described as follows:

Land situated in the Township of Lovells, County of Crawford and State of Michigan, to-wit:

Lot 75, Creekview No. 2, as record-

ed in Liber 2 of Plats, Page 22, Crawford County Records.

The redemption period shall be six (6) months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be thirty (30) days from the date of such sale.

FIRSTBANK-WEST BRANCH MORTGAGE COMPANY

Mortgagee

Dated this 7th day of April, 2011.

TIMOTHY L. CURTISS, Esq.
 Braun Kendrick Finkbeiner P.L.C.
 304 East Broadway, Suite 206
 Mt. Pleasant, Michigan 48858
 989/775-7404

-7-14-21-28-5

Notice Of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

THIS FIRM IS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY INFORMATION WE OBTAIN WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. PLEASE CONTACT OUR OFFICE AT THE NUMBER BELOW IF YOU ARE IN ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY. ATTENTION PURCHASERS: This sale may be rescinded by the foreclosing mortgagee. In that event, your damages, if any, shall be limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest.

MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Walter E McVey and Regina McVey husband and wife, original mortgagor(s), to 1st Bank, Mortgagee, dated February 12, 1999, and recorded on February 23, 1999 in Liber 475 on Page 247, in Crawford county records, Michigan, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Ninety-Two Thousand Seven Hundred Seventy-Five and 26/100 Dollars (\$92,775.26), including interest at 7.1% per annum.

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public vendue, at the place of holding the circuit court within Crawford County, at 10:00 AM, on May 25, 2011. Said premises are situated in Township of South Branch, Crawford County, Michigan, and are described as: The North 1/2 of the North 1/2 of the South 1/2 of the South 1/2 of the Northeast 1/4 of Section 35, Town 25 North, Range 2 West, South Branch Township, Crawford County, Michigan

The redemption period shall be 12 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale.

Dated: April 21, 2011

For more information, please call: FC H (248) 593-1300

Trott & Trott, P.C.

Attorneys For Servicer
 31440 Northwestern Highway,
 Suite 200
 Farmington Hills, Michigan 48334-2525

File #366504F01

-21-28-5-12

Notice Of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

THIS FIRM IS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY INFORMATION WE OBTAIN WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. PLEASE CONTACT OUR OFFICE AT THE NUMBER BELOW IF YOU ARE IN ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY. ATTENTION PURCHASERS: This sale may be rescinded by the foreclosing mortgagee. In that event, your damages, if any, shall be limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest.

MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Raymond L. Houghton a married man and Kathy M. Houghton his wife, original mortgagor(s), to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., Mortgagee, dated December 6, 2004, and recorded on December 15, 2004 in Liber 672 on Page 924, in Crawford county records, Michigan, and assigned by said Mortgagee to Nationstar Mortgage LLC as assignee, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Ninety Thousand Five Hundred Ninety-Seven and 23/100 Dollars (\$90,597.23), including interest at 7% per annum.

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public vendue, at the place of holding the circuit court within Crawford County, at 10:00 AM, on May 18, 2011. Said premises are situated in City of Grayling, Crawford County, Michigan, and are described as: Lot 9, Block 9 Hadley's Second Addition to the Village (now city) of Grayling, according to the plat thereof, as recorded in Liber 1 of Plats, Page 10, Crawford County Records

The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale.

Dated: April 14, 2011

For more information, please call: FC L (248) 593-1312
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File #363579F01

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CIRCUIT COURT SALE

Case # 10-8271-CH

THIS FIRM IS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. PLEASE CONTACT OUR OFFICE AT THE NUMBER BELOW IF YOU ARE IN ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY.

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE—A Default Judgment Granting Plaintiff a Monetary Award and Foreclosing Real Property was entered by the Honorable Dennis F. Murphy, Crawford County Circuit Court Judge, on February 3, 2011, in the matter of Rose Acceptance, Inc., Plaintiff, v James D. Darling, Lori A. Darling, and Citifinancial, Inc., Defendants. Case # 10-8271-CH. Said judgment provides that if Defendant(s) fail to pay Plaintiff the sum of \$33,274.38, plus interest at the rate of 10.70% per annum, within 21 days of the judgment, that the property described below is to be sold at public auction, with the proceeds to be applied toward the satisfaction of the debt.

Pursuant to the order of the Court, and pursuant to the statutes of the State of Michigan, notice is hereby given that the property described below, or some part of them, will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder, on Wednesday, June 1, 2011, at 10:00 in the forenoon, at the place of holding of the circuit court in the county in which the land is situated.

Said premises are located in the Township of South Branch, Crawford County, Michigan, and are described as: Lot 8, Ber-mar Woods No. 1, according to the plat thereof, as recorded in Liber 3 of Plats, Page 1, Crawford County Records; c/k/a 3147 N. M-18, Roscommon, MI 48653

The redemption period shall be six months.
 Dated: April 14, 2011

KIRK WAKEFIELD
 SHERIFF

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-14-21-28-5-12-19

NOTICE

We are a debt collector trying to collect a debt and any information obtained will be used for that purpose. FORECLOSURE NOTICE MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a Note dated October 12, 2009 and related mortgage made by D. Hall Construction Inc., a Michigan corporation, Mortgagor, to Wolverine Bank, Mortgagee, dated May 10, 2007 and recorded on May 23,

2007 in Liber 687, Page 26, Crawford County Michigan Records, on which note and mortgage there is claimed to be due the sum of Twenty-Three Thousand Three Hundred Two and 96 /100 Dollars (\$23,302.96) including interest accruing at 6.950% per annum. Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue, at the first floor of the Crawford County Circuit Courthouse in Grayling, Michigan, at 10:00 a.m. on Wednesday, June 8, 2011. The Mortgagee will apply the sales proceeds to the debt secured by the Mortgage as stated above, plus interest on the amount due at a rate of interest accruing 6.950% per annum; all legal costs and expenses, including attorney fees allowed by law; and also any amount paid by the Mortgagee to protect its interest in the property. Said premises are situated in the Township of Beaver Creek, County of Crawford, State of Michigan, described as: Parcels 2-D, 2-E, and 2-F situated in Beaver Creek Township, Crawford County, Michigan, according to the recorded plat thereof, as recorded in Liber 687 Page 26, Crawford County Records. PARCEL 2-D: Being a part of the Southeast 1/4 of Section 31, T25N, R3W, Beaver Creek Township, Crawford County, Michigan and described as: Commencing at Southeast corner of said Section 31, thence S89 degrees 57 minutes 36 seconds W along the Section line 985.82 feet; thence N01 degrees 14 minutes 16 seconds E 616.57 feet to the place of beginning; thence continuing N01 degrees 14 minutes 16 seconds E 175.00 feet; thence N89 degrees 57 minutes 36 seconds W 329.02 feet to the place of beginning. TOGETHER WITH AND SUBJECT TO THE FOLLOWING DESCRIBED EASEMENT: A 71 foot wide easement for ingress, egress and the installation and maintenance of public utilities lying West of and Abutting a line described as: Commencing at the Southeast corner of Section 31, Town 25 North, Range 3 West, thence S89 degrees 57 minutes 36 seconds W along the Section line 914.80 feet to the Place of Beginning; thence N01 degrees 14 minutes 16 seconds E 1,099.92 feet to the Point of Ending; Also including with the above described easement is a cul-de-sac with a 75 foot radius whose centerpoint is S88 degrees 45 minutes 44 seconds E 4.01 feet from the Point of Ending of the above described easement. PARCEL 2-E: Being a part of the Southeast 1/4 of Section 31, T25N, R3W, Beaver Creek Township, Crawford County, Michigan and described as: Commencing at Southeast corner of said Section 31, thence S89 degrees 57 minutes 36 seconds W along the Section line 985.82 feet; thence N01 degrees 14 minutes 16 seconds E 1,099.92 feet to the Point of Ending; Also including with the above described easement is a cul-de-sac with a 75 foot radius whose centerpoint is S88 degrees 45 minutes 44 seconds E 4.01 feet from the Point of Ending of the above described easement. Together with all equipment, fixtures and articles of personal property now or hereafter attached to or used in or about the land and improvements, including all Personal Property as defined in the Mortgage. The redemption period shall be one (1) year from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be thirty (30) days from the date of such sale. Dated: April 28, 2011

Wolverine Bank, Mortgagee Simon, Galasso & Frantz, PLC Attorneys for Mortgagee Timothy W. Ferrell, Esq. 363 W. Big Beaver Road, Suite 250 Troy, Michigan 48064 (248) 720-0290

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NOTICE OF SUIT – Elliott

STATE OF MICHIGAN COUNTY OF CRAWFORD IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF CRAWFORD

CASE NO. 10-8320-CZ

TCF NATIONAL BANK, PLAINTIFF

VS.

MICHELLE ELLIOTT and RODNEY ELLIOTT, DEFENDANTS

NOTICE OF SUIT

SUMMONS – SERVICE BY PUBLICATION

The State of Michigan to the defendants above named, and any other person who may be concerned.

You are notified that you have been sued in the Court above named.

The nature of the suit against you is: Monies due and owing on Note and Security Agreement on real estate mortgage, which is legally described as:

Land situated in the Township of Dexter, County of Washtenaw and State of Michigan:

Lots 1 and 3, addition to Portage Lake Resort, according to the plat thereof, as recorded in Liber 2 of plats, page 33, Washtenaw County Records.

The property is commonly known as 9505 Portage Lake Avenue, Pinckney, MI 48169-9447.

The summons is specifically directed to the following defendants whose whereabouts are unknown:

Michelle and Rodney Elliott

6538 West Old Lake Road

Grayling, MI 49738

If you have a claim for relief against the Plaintiff arising from the same transaction or occurrence, you must assert it in your written answer.

You must answer the Complaint in writing, by you or your attorney, on or before the 16th day of June, 2011 (the same being within thirty (30) days after the Third Notice of Suit), and if you fail to do so a judgment will be entered against you for what the Plaintiff has demanded.

Kenneth A. Rich (P38349)

Ryan C. Moloney (P72227)

Attorneys for Plaintiff

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-28-5-12

STATE OF MICHIGAN PROBATE COURT COUNTY OF CRAWFORD NOTICE TO CREDITORS Decedent's Estate FILE NO. 11-7888-DE

Estate of GLENNA GLEE WHEELER, aka GLENNA G. WHEELER Date of birth: 12/15/1931.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS: The decedent, Glenna G. Wheeler, who lived at 406 Maple St., Grayling, Michigan died April 6, 2011.

Creditors of the decedent are notified that all claims against the estate will be forever barred unless presented to Vicki Bennett, named personal representative, or to both the probate court at 200 W. Michigan Ave. Grayling, Michigan 49738 and the named/proposed personal representative within 4 months after the date of publication of this notice.

Date 4/25/11

Personal Representative
Vicki Bennett
16733 Porta Marina
Macomb, MI 48044
586/286-7443

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STATE OF MICHIGAN PROBATE COURT COUNTY OF CRAWFORD NOTICE TO CREDITORS Decedent's Estate FILE NO. 11-7885-DE

Estate of Wayne R. Manier, Deceased Date of birth: 10-31-1936.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS: The decedent, Wayne R. Manier, who lived at 15281 Stanford Lane, Huntington Beach, CA 92647 died 11-17-2002.

Creditors of the decedent are notified that all claims against the estate will be forever barred unless presented to Bettie J. Manier, named personal representative, or to both the probate court at 200 W. Michigan Ave. Grayling, MI 49738 and the named/proposed personal representative within 4 months after the date of publication of this notice.

Attorney Name
Jonathan Aronson P26400
100 West Big Beaver Road,
Ste 200
Troy, MI 48064
248.879-5528

Personal Representative
Bettie J. Manier
302 Oak Street
Jersey Shore, PA 17740
570-865-6504

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NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

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NOTICE TO PROSPECTIVE PURCHASERS: This sale may be rescinded or set aside by the foreclosing mortgagee. In such event, your damages, if any, shall be limited solely to a return or refund of the bid amount tendered at such sale, together with interest at the rate set forth herein.

MORTGAGE SALE: Default having been made in the terms and conditions of a certain mortgage made by Norman D. Kauranen, a single man, Mortgagor, of 2103 Hillis Drive, Roscommon, Michigan 48653, to Chemical Bank, a Michigan banking corporation, of 333 E. Main Street, Midland, Michigan 48640, Mortgagee, dated August 15, 2006, and recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Crawford and State of Michigan, on August 23, 2006, in Liber 682, at page 846, of the Crawford County Records, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due for principal, interest and late fees, as of the date of this notice, the sum of Forty-Five Thousand Seven Hundred Sixty-Five and Seventy-Six Hundredths Dollars (\$45,765.76).

No suit or proceedings at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt secured by said

mortgage or any part thereof, whereby the power of sale contained in said mortgage has become operative;

NOW THEREFORE, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statutes of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that on **Wednesday, June 8, 2011, at 10:00 a.m.,** said mortgage will be foreclosed in the lobby of the Crawford County Courthouse, in Grayling, State of Michigan, that being the place where the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford is held, by a sale at public auction, to the highest bidder, of the premises described in said mortgage or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount due, as aforesaid, on said mortgage with interest thereon at Six and Seven Hundred Forty Thousandths percent (6.7400000000000002%) per annum and all legal costs, charges and expenses, including the attorneys' fees allowed by law, and also any taxes and insurance which may be paid by the Mortgagee on or before the date of said sale which may be necessary to protect its interest in the premises.

Said premises are situated in the Township of South Branch, in the County of Crawford and State of Michigan, and are more particularly described as follows:

Lot 24 of Deerheart Valley (a part of the Northwest 1/4 of the Northwest 1/4 of Section 28, Township 25 North, Range 2 West), as recorded April 20, 1956, in Liber 1 of Plats, Page 50

The redemption period shall be six (6) months from the date of such sale; provided, however, that in the event that the property is determined to be abandoned pursuant to MCL 600.3241a, the property may be redeemed during the thirty (30) days immediately following such sale.

Date: May 5, 2011

William R. Garchow (P61833)
CURRIE KENDALL PLC
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(989) 839-0300
Attorneys for Chemical Bank
-5-12-19-26-2

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MORTGAGE SALE: Default having been made in the terms and conditions of a certain mortgage made by Matthew Thomas Godek and Kelli Ann Godek, husband and wife, Mortgagor, of 9294 Pine Walk Pass, Linden, Michigan 48451, to Chemical Bank, a Michigan banking corporation, of 333 E. Main Street, Midland, Michigan 48640,

Mortgagee, dated December 9, 2008, and recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Crawford and State of Michigan, on December 12, 2008, in Liber 694, at page 116, of the Crawford County Records, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due for principal, interest and late fees, as of the date of this notice, the sum of Twenty-One Thousand One Hundred Fifty-Two and Four Hundredths Dollars (\$21,152.04).

No suit or proceedings at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof, whereby the power of sale contained in said mortgage has become operative;

NOW THEREFORE, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statutes of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that on **Wednesday, May 18, 2011, at 10:00 a.m.,** said mortgage will be foreclosed in the lobby of the Crawford County Courthouse, in Grayling, State of Michigan, that being the place where the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford is held, by a sale at public auction, to the highest bidder, of the premises described in said mortgage or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount due, as aforesaid, on said mortgage with interest thereon at Seven and Three Hundred Seventy-Five percent (7.375%) per annum and all legal costs, charges and expenses, including the attorneys' fees allowed by law, and also any taxes and insurance which may be paid by the Mortgagee on or before the date of said sale which may be necessary to protect its interest in the premises.

Said premises are situated in the Township of Frederic, in the County of Crawford and State of Michigan, commonly known as Parcel 9 Bruun Trail, Frederic, Michigan and more particularly described as follows:

Part of the Southeast one-quarter of Section 1, Town 28 North, Range 4 West, Frederic Township, Crawford County, Michigan, described as: Commencing at the East one-quarter corner of Section 1, Town 28 North, Range 4 West; thence South 00°19'58" East 168.61 feet; thence South 89°24'37" West 1268.17 feet; thence South 01°18'15" East 350.44 feet; thence South 35°57'42" West 848.11 feet to the point of beginning; thence South 74°26'45" East 1134.36 feet to a point on the Westerly line of a 66 foot wide private road "Brunn Trail South" thence along the Westerly line of said private road: South 12°31'41" West 160.00 feet; thence South 20°57'41" East 118.36 feet; thence South 38°54'38" W. 250.00 feet to the centerline of said private road; thence North 01°25'59" West along said centerline 84.10 feet; thence North 74°16'05" West 635.84 feet; thence South 89°45'44" West 296.05 feet; thence North 00°00'00" East 500.00 feet to the point of beginning. TOGETHER WITH AND SUBJECT TO a 66 foot wide easement for ingress and egress and the installation and maintenance of public and private utilities said easement also being known as "Brunn Trail South" more fully described as 33 feet either side of the centerline described as follows: Commencing at the East quarter corner of said Section 1; thence South 00°19'57" East along the East line of said Section 1 a distance of 606.30 feet to the Point of Beginning of said 66 foot wide easement; thence South 60°16'38" West 269.55 feet; thence South 21°50'39" West, continuing along said centerline 349.56 feet; thence South 65°26'47" West, continuing along said centerline 205.71 feet; thence South 12°31'41" West, continuing along said centerline 555.89 feet; thence South 35°26'33" West, continuing along said centerline 254.44 feet; thence South 01°25'17" East continuing along said centerline, 312.38 feet; thence South 01°25'59" East, continuing along said centerline, 447.76 feet to the South line of said Section 1 and the point of Ending of said 66 foot wide easement.

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ing S89°57'40"E 200.00 feet to the East 1/8 line; thence N01°30'30"W along said East 1/8 line 100.00 feet; thence N89°57'40"W 200.00 feet; thence S01°30'30"E 100.00 feet to the point of beginning. To the point of beginning.

The redemption period shall be six (6) months from the date of such sale; provided, however, that in the event that the property is determined to be abandoned pursuant to MCL 600.3241a, the property may be redeemed during the thirty (30) days immediately following such sale.

Date: April 14, 2011
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14-21-28-5-12

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ATTENTION PURCHASERS: This sale may be rescinded by the foreclosing mortgagee. In the event, your damages, if any, shall be limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest.

Default having been made in the terms and conditions of a Mortgage made by THOMAS WEDDING as Mortgagor, to FAMILY FIRST CREDIT UNION (F/K/A SAGE NAW MUNICIPAL EMPLOYEES' CREDIT UNION) as Mortgagee, which mortgage is dated January 18, 2000, and recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds for Crawford County, Michigan, on February 9, 2000, in Liber 501 at Pages 95-102, and upon which Mortgage is claimed to be due on the date of this notice the sum of \$69,739.94, and no suit or proceedings at law or equity having been instituted to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof.

NOW, THEREFORE, by virtue of a power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the Statute of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that on **Wednesday, May 18, 2011, at 10 a.m.,** at the front door of the Crawford County Building in the City of Grayling, County of Crawford, that being the place for holding Circuit Court for the County of Crawford where the premises are situated, said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale at public auction, to the highest bidder, for the purpose of satisfying the amount due and unpaid upon said mortgage, with the interest thereon at 11 percent per annum, together with legal costs, charges and expenses of sale, including applicable attorney fees, and also any taxes and insurance which may be paid by the mortgagee on or before the date of said sale which may be necessary to protect its interest in the premises. The land and premises in said mortgage, being situated in the Township of Lovells, County of Crawford, State of Michigan, and described as follows:

Commencing at the North 1/4 corner, Section 13, T28N-R2W, Lovells Township, Crawford County, Michigan; thence S01°20'10"E along the N-S 1/4 line 1289.84 feet for a point of beginning; thence continuing S01°20'10"E 1020.40 feet; thence N 89°34'13"E 970.02 feet; thence S01°20'10"E 269.44 feet; thence N89°34'13"E along the E-W 1/4 line 333.39 feet; thence N01°30'30"W along the East 1/8 line 579.28 feet; thence N89°57'40"W 200 feet; thence S01°30'30"E 100.00 feet; thence N89°57'40"W 520.21 feet; thence N01°30'30"W 800.00 feet; thence N89°57'40"W along the North 1/8 line 579.57 feet to the point of beginning, containing 19.59 acres more or less. Subject to a county road right of way over the easterly side thereof.

Also subject to: A 100 foot wide easement for ingress and egress and installations and maintenance of public utilities described as follows: Commencing at the North 1/4 corner of said, Section 13, T28N-R2W; thence S01°20'10"E along the N-S 1/4 line 1289.84 feet; thence S89°57'40"E along the North 1/8 line 579.57 feet; thence S01°30'30"E 800.00 feet; thence S89°57'40"E 520.21 feet for a point of beginning; thence continu-

ing S89°57'40"E 200.00 feet to the East 1/8 line; thence N01°30'30"W along said East 1/8 line 100.00 feet; thence N89°57'40"W 200.00 feet; thence S01°30'30"E 100.00 feet to the point of beginning. To the point of beginning.

Also subject to: A 33 foot wide easement for ingress and egress and installation and maintenance of public utilities described as follows: Commencing at the North 1/4 corner, Section 13, T28N-R2W, Lovells Township, Crawford County, Michigan; thence S01°20'10"E along the N-S 1/4 line 2579.68 feet; thence N89°34'13"E along the E-W 1/4 line 970.02 feet for a point of beginning; thence continuing N89°34'13"E 333.39 feet; thence N01°30'30"W along the East 1/8 line 33.01 feet; thence S89°34'13"W 333.30 feet to the East boundary of Parcel 2; thence S01°20'10"E along the East line of said Parcel 33.00 feet to the point of beginning.

The redemption period shall be one year from the date of such sale, unless the premises are determined abandoned in accordance with MCL 600.3241(a), in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale.

DATED: March 28, 2011
Paul E. Wenzloff (P27662)
Attorney for Mortgagee
903 N. Jackson Street
Bay City, MI 48708
(989) 893-9511
14-21-28-5

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

MORTGAGE SALE-Default having been made in the terms and conditions of a mortgage made by RICKLAND L. SCHOLZ, II and ROYALYNE M. SCHOLZ, husband and wife, of 140 MIKADO STREET, GRAYLING, MI 49738, Mortgagor(s), to CONSUMERS PROFESSIONAL CREDIT UNION of 525 WEST WILLOW, LANSING, MI 48910, Mortgagee, dated AUGUST 30, 2006, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Crawford County, and State of Michigan on SEPTEMBER 8, 2006, in LIBER 683, PAGE 27 of Crawford County Records and Loan Modification Agreement dated OCTOBER 23, 2009, and recorded on JUNE 7, 2010, in LIBER 700 on PAGE 725 of Crawford County Records on which mortgage there is claimed to be due, at the date of this notice, for principal and interest, the sum of FIFTY-FOUR THOUSAND ONE HUNDRED SEVENTY-TWO AND 17/100 (\$54,172.17) DOLLARS at 5.75% percent per annum and attorney fees as provided for in said Mortgage, and no suit or proceedings at law or in equity have been instituted to recover the monies secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof;

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that on **MAY 11, 2011, at 10:00 A.M.** local time, said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale at public auction, to the highest bidder in the Crawford County Circuit Courthouse in Grayling, Michigan (that being the building where the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford is held), of the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount due, aforesaid, on said mortgage with interest thereon and all legal costs, charges and expenses, including the attorney fees allowed by law, and also any sum or sums which may be paid by the undersigned, necessary to protect its interest in the premises. Which said premises are described as follows: CITY OF GRAYLING, COUNTY OF CRAWFORD AND STATE OF MICHIGAN, to wit:

COMMENCING 743 FEET EAST AND 262 FEET NORTH OF THE SOUTH 1/8 POST BETWEEN SECTION 7 AND 8, TOWN 26 NORTH, RANGE 3 WEST, THENCE NORTH 118 FEET, THENCE WEST 95 FEET, THENCE SOUTH 118 FEET, THENCE EAST 95 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING, BEING IN THE UNPLATTED PART OF THE CITY OF GRAYLING, IN SECTION 8, TOWN 26 NORTH, RANGE 3 WEST.

MORE COMMONLY KNOWN AS: 140 MIKADO STREET, GRAYLING, MI 49738

Immediately following the sale, the property may be redeemed, except that in the event that the property is determined to be abandoned pursuant to MCL 600.3241 a, the property may be redeemed during the thirty (30) days immediately following the sale.

KENNETH C. BUTLER II
(P 28477)
ATTORNEY FOR MORTGAGEE
24525 Harper Avenue
St. Clair Shores, MI 48080
(586) 777-0770

Dated: 4-7-11
-7-14-21-28-5

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

For
CITY OF GRAYING
CRAWFORD COUNTY HOUSING COMMISSION
2011
HOMEBUYER/PURCHASE/REHABILITATION (HPR)
FUNDS

The Crawford County Housing Commission will be holding a Public Hearing to review a grant application to the Michigan State Housing Development Authority Housing Resource Fund. The hearing will be held on **Wednesday, May 18, 2011 at 1:20 p.m.** at the Crawford County Building, 200 Michigan Avenue, Grayling, MI 49738

The purpose of the hearing is to gain citizen input on the application to apply for a Housing/Purchase/Rehab Program (HPR). The County Housing Commission is applying for a grant in the amount of \$300,000. These funds will be utilized to assist income qualified applicants with the purchase and rehabilitation of an existing home within the North Side of City of Grayling.

This service will be available at both the Pioneer and McMasters Refuse Sites.

ITEMS ALLOWED: Household furnishings (tables, chairs, sofas, mattresses, etc.)

ITEMS NOT ALLOWED: Yard waste, building materials or hazardous liquids / materials.

SPECIAL NOTE: Tires are **NOT** being collected this year

YOU MUST HAVE A 2011 PERMIT TO ENTER

Note: In order for more residents to take advantage of this service, the Township Board has set a limit of (1) one drop off load per Permit for each day.

The Township reserves the right to refuse improper items, or items in excess.

Note: This is a costly service, provided to permit holders of South Branch Township, and should not be misused.

Please direct any questions or concerns to the Township Hall, Mon.-Fri., 9 a.m. - 12 p.m., at (989) 275-8232.

South Branch Township Board

Features

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A Look At Our Past FROM THE PAGES OF THE AVALANCHE



May 5, 1988 - Fred Bear, 1902 - 1988. Fred Bear, considered by many to be the father of modern bowhunting, died in Gainesville, Fla., on April 27, of natural causes following a long illness.

23 Years Ago May 5, 1988

Kathy Ashton cut the ribbon in her new store "Kathleen's Plus Fashions" in the Mercantile Mall in uptown Grayling, during a Grand Opening ceremony. Jay Stephan, a riverboat builder from Grayling, is among seven Michigan citizens selected to receive 1988 Michigan Heritage Awards. The awards are given annually by the Michigan Traditional Arts Program at Michigan State University Museum and they recognize Michigan citizens who, with excellence and authenticity, continue the traditions of

their families or communities. The newly formed GHS girls softball team started their season the right way with a doubleheader win over Roscommon. Grayling pounded Roscommon 17-6 in the opener and 26-16 in the second game. In the opener, A.J. Pratt led the hitting with a triple and single as Grayling put several walks to good use. Raya Johnston, of Flowers by Josie in Grayling, recently won the first phase in a three part process to select the 1988 Americas Cup award-winning floral designer. The Americas Cup is a prestigious floral design con-

test held once every four years by Florists' Transworld Delivery (FTD) Association throughout North America. GHS Forensics entered 17 categories at the annual District Individual Events Tournament held at Gaylord High School. 12 members of the team advanced to Regional Competition. They are Dawn Elekonich, Andrea Flowers, Candace Grigsby, Amy Denton, Janet Petrosky, Cathy Maule, Chris Zell and Anna Hagemeyer. Julie Huss, Chris Bindschattel, Wayne Sands and Lori Dean were chosen as alternates.

46 Years Ago May 6, 1965

Vicki Wells, Janice Beery and Gayle Feldhauser were the District Forensic winners from Grayling High School that participated in the Regional Forensic Tournament that was held in Petoskey on May 1. The swans that were recently added to the city park water recently are now nesting. It was reported to the Avalanche this week by Bud Hunter. Swans become short tempered during the nesting period and this condition continues until the young are able to take care of themselves. Therefore, they should be observed from a distance in order to avoid possible injury. A blazing crash of a Douglas Sky Raider at the

Grayling McNamara Air Base, shortly after noon last Saturday, resulted in complete destruction of the craft, but the two occupants escaped injury. The Lieutenant Commander and Ordinance Chief, both of Detroit, were on a training exercise from Grosse Ile Naval Air Station. When they attempted to bring it in for a landing, the tail of the plane refused to lower, resulting in a crash landing with the craft bursting into flames.

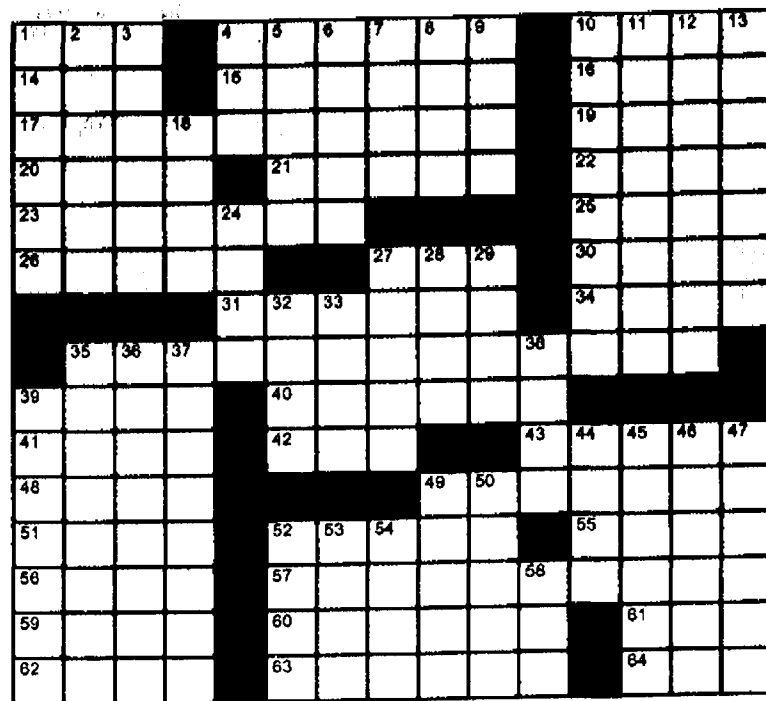
69 Years Ago May 7, 1942

Mrs. Charles Meisel has opened a dress shop to be known as the Shirlee Shoppe at 204 Michigan Avenue. Ray Duby has purchased an acre of ground opposite of Caid's grocery and has moved his dwelling there from the Squire estate, where he was formerly a caretaker.

92 Years Ago May 8, 1919

The new fine club rooms of the Knights of Columbus Council of Grayling in the Burke garage were informally opened to the parishioners of St. Mary's Church last Thursday evening. Attorney H.L. Fitch and family have moved into their home they recently purchased from Paul Feldhauser located on Elm Street.

CROSSWORD



Across

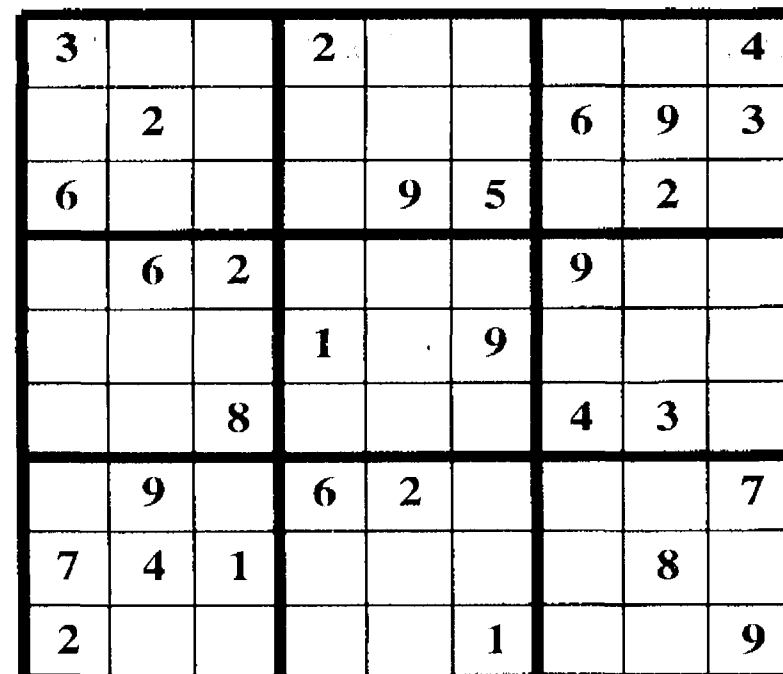
1. Animal hair
4. Specks in the sea
10. 1984 Peace Nobel
14. Single-strand molecule (abbrev.)
15. Chiang Kai-shek's capital
16. Knowing, as a secret (2 wds)
17. Shortened version
19. Gentle
20. Like The Citadel, now
21. Corpulent
22. "... happily ____ after"
23. Professional wrestler Mike Awesome
25. Dullard
26. Class
27. Agency monitoring edible products (abbrev.)
30. Wood sorrels
31. Lash out at
34. Floor coverings
35. Deserving rebuke
39. Atlantic City attraction
40. Statues with no head and hands
41. One who mimics
42. Chester White's home
43. Energize
48. Links rental
49. Film material
51. Bee colony
52. Wrist bones (pl.)
55. Ball of yam
56. Persia, now
57. Near coastland
59. Catch fish
60. Cake (Fr.)
61. ____ and outs
62. "Iliad" warrior
63. Steep slope
64. Undertake, with "out"

Down

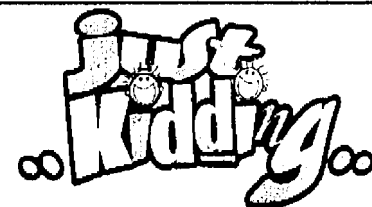
1. Brawl
2. Undo the lock
3. Make less dense
4. Inspection Test Date (acronym)
5. Thickening agent (pl.)
6. Backbend dance
7. Blunt-edged fencing sword
8. Alexander Hamilton bills
9. Locale
10. Preset explosive (2 wds)
11. Unambiguous
12. Put up with
13. Disrobe
18. "American ____"
24. Not far
27. Pixie
28. Discordant noises
29. In addition
32. Adjusts, as a clock
33. Jigger of liquor
35. One who fixes
36. Weaken
37. Omens
38. "Cast Away" setting
39. Pueblo doll
44. Allergic reaction
45. French royalty
46. Forever, poetically
47. Just out
49. Breathing problem
50. Humidifier item
52. Hamster's home
53. Expression of apprehension
54. Campus military org. (acronym)
58. Eat an evening meal

SUDOKU

RULES: Fill all empty squares so that the numbers 1 to 9 appear once in each row, column and 3x3 box.



(PUZZLE #8 Very Hard, Difficulty Rating 0.76)
ANSWERS IN THE CLASSIFIEDS



HOROSCOPES

Week of May 1, 2011



CAPRICORN
December 22 - January 19
Pressure mounts, but as always, you rise to the occasion. Capricorn. Further education is needed before you tackle a project at home. Look to an experienced friend.



ARIES
March 21 - April 19
You do not have to go it alone. Aries. Lean on those who lean on you, and you will make quick work of a problem. A special occasion calls for much ado.



CANCER
June 22 - July 22
Caution, Cancer. Someone you least expect may be trying to pull a fast one on you. The rumors are unfounded. Turn a deaf ear and focus on the matter at hand.



LIBRA
September 23 - October 23
Your star begins to rise at work. Enjoy the ride, Libra. Sacrifices at home make headway with someone important and get the wheels of progress turning.



AQUARIUS
January 20 - February 18
Think through your actions carefully this week, Aquarius. One misstep could bring everything crashing down. A friend is blessed with good news.



TAURUS
April 20 - May 20
You may not be the best of friends with a colleague, but that doesn't mean they don't have something worthwhile to contribute. Listen to what they have to say, Taurus.



LEO
July 23 - August 22
The ambition in you comes out, and you find yourself speaking out more and more. Don't worry about the egos you bruise, Leo. It was meant to be.



SCORPIO
October 23 - November 21
The situation is out of your control, so cast aside your concerns and focus on something you can change, Scorpio. A personal relationship deepens.



PISCES
February 19 - March 20
Be careful whom you team up with at work, Pisces. Not everyone is on board with your idea. Plans take shape for a little road trip over the weekend. Enjoy!



GEMINI
May 21 - June 21
Doubt begins to creep in. Push it aside, Gemini, and continue on. Finances improve with some creative budgeting. A favor is returned.



VIRGO
August 23 - September 22
Good grief, Virgo. Turns out you're the one to blame for the problem, not all of those you've been pointing the finger at. Make amends now and correct the issue quickly.



SAGITTARIUS
November 22 - December 21
An organization could use a helping hand. Step up, Sagittarius, and lend them your support. The storm at home comes to a conclusion, and you're off the hook.

FOR ENTERTAINMENT PURPOSES ONLY

Open: Everyday - 10am to 3pm

ADOPT A PET

WE'RE OVERLOADED! The animal shelter is currently very full of animals in need of loving homes, just like yours. Help these very adoptable pets find homes, adopt today! Visit our website for more information.



Bart

Bart is a very handsome and clownish 5 year old Greyhound Mix. This tall and elegant looking dog is very affectionate and lovable. He is amazing on a leash and does have pretty good manners. Bart gets along well with some dogs (mostly girls) but should not go to a home with cats. He would require a home with a fenced yard as he loves to get out and get moving. Bart has been neutered, vaccinated and micro chipped.

Visit us at: www.ausablevalleyanimalshelter.org
AuSable Valley Animal Shelter
5786 Fairground Lane, Grayling
Use the entrance to the Crawford County Fairgrounds
After hour appointments available. Call (989) 348-4117
For more pets or more information, visit our website www.ascc.petfinder.com

RECIPE OF THE WEEK



CHICKEN CLUB PIZZA

Ingredients:

- 1 can (13.8 oz.) refrigerated pizza crust
- 1/4 cup Reduced Fat Mayonnaise with olive oil
- 1/2 cup Ranch Dressing, divided
- 1-1/2 cups Shredded Cheddar Cheese with a Touch of cream cheese, divided
- 1-1/2 cups finely chopped cooked chicken
- 8 slices bacon, cooked, crumbled
- 1-1/2 cups finely shredded lettuce
- 1 tomato, finely chopped

Directions:

HEAT oven to 400°F.

UNROLL pizza dough on baking sheet sprayed with cooking spray; press into 15x10-inch rectangle. Bake 10 min.

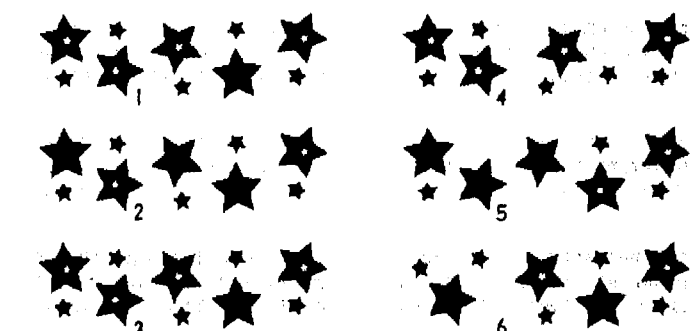
MIX mayo and 1/3 cup dressing; spread onto crust. Top with half the cheese, chicken, remaining cheese and bacon.

BAKE 5 min. or until crust is deep golden brown and cheese is melted. Top with lettuce and tomatoes; drizzle with remaining dressing.

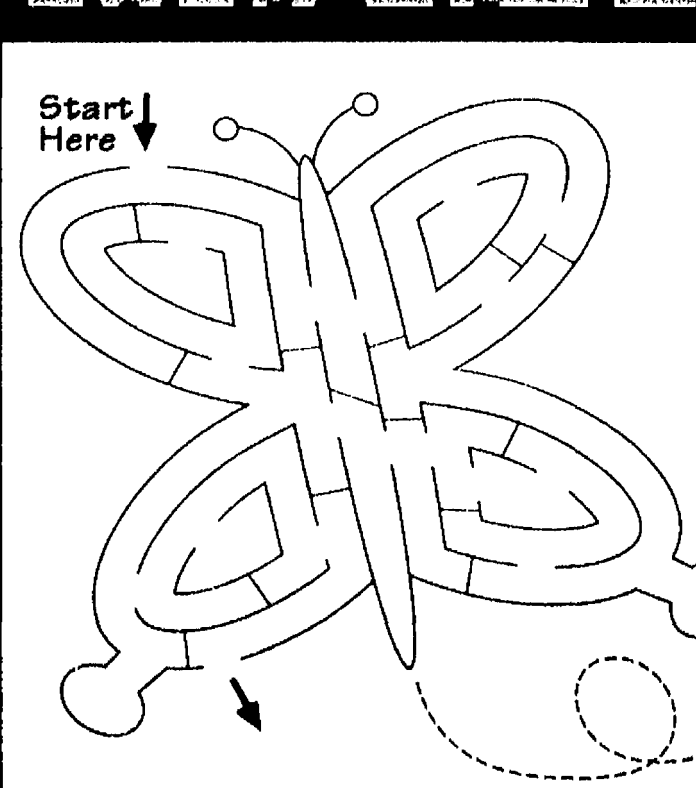
Prep Time: 15 mins
Total Time: 30 mins
Makes 6 servings

FIND THE TWINS

WHICH TWO ARE EXACTLY ALIKE?



MAZE



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Classified by the word deadline - Noon Tuesday

1. Real Estate

FOR SALE BY OWNER 200 feet river frontage on Flies Only section of AuSable River at Wakeley Bridge. Home is 50 feet off river with guest cabin and detached garage. \$225,000. Call 989-390-0833. (-3/17/11/tf/1)

HOUSE FOR SALE 2-3 bedrooms, 2 full baths. 586-46-0004, 586-713-7500. (-2/8/10/tf/1)

2. For Rent

WALK TO WORK! Nice house for rent near the hospital. 3-4 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath. No smoking/pets. Need preferences and proof of employment. \$650 month + utilities, 989-448-4643. (-5/2)

FOR RENT A beautiful furnished lower level apartment in Grayling, three bedrooms, new side by side with water and ice dispenser, storage, new washer and dryer, internet included and yard work. If you are looking for a great rental with beautiful furnishing this is for you. Natural gas included, water is shared, electric and cable not included. No smoking or pets! \$600 per month, deposit and first months rent plus references required. Please call John at 989-370-1698. Apartment available June 1st, one years lease required. Don't let this one get away! (-5-12/2)

LOG HOME on East Branch. 3-4 bedroom, 3 bath. 989-326-7206. (-14-21-28-5/2)

SENIOR APARTMENTS AVAILABLE at The Brook Retirement Communities. Offering Independent and Assisted Living. Lots of amenities, activities, beautiful surroundings and affordable living. Communities located in: Houghton Lake (989) 422-7200, Rosecommon (989) 275-4000, West Branch (989) 343-1400, Gladwin (989) 426-8700. Call or stop by today for a personalized tour. (5/10/2007/tf/2)

1. Real Estate

Century 21
RIVER COUNTRY REAL ESTATE
Pete Kocenas
989-344-1800
www.Century21Grayling.com

Recently Foreclosed, Special Financing Available, Any Credit, Any Income

3BD, 1BTH,
840 Sq. Ft., located
at 600 Madsen St.,
Grayling, \$19,900.
Visit:
www.roselandco.com/9CY
Drive by then call
(866)924-8348

Recently Foreclosed, Special Financing Available, Any Credit, Any Income
2BD, 1BTH,
840 Sq. Ft., located
at 504 South
Ridgeview Dr.,
Prudenville, \$28,000.
Visit:
www.roselandco.com/9FW
Drive by then call
(866)769-4495

2. For Rent

FOR RENT Holy Water private RV, level slab site with electric. No pets. \$75, 3 day minimum. Additional days \$22. Cash only, 989-348-8466. (-28-5/2)

ARBOR COURT in Grayling is accepting applications for 1 & 2 bdr. Rent is based on 30% of the adjusted gross income. For more information call Pam at 989-732-6237 or pick up application at 400 Madsen Street. Barrier Free Units available. This institution is an equal opportunity provider and employer. TDD 1-800-649-3777. (-8/12/10/tf/2)

MONTHLY HOME RENTALS near Grayling, Houghton Lake, Rosecommon and Higgins Lake. 2 and 3 bedroom. Higgins North Property Services, 989-821-3434. (-1/13/11/tf/2)

RIVER FRONT 2 bedroom, 2 bath, fully furnished, second story apartment in downtown Grayling. Includes water, lawn maintenance, snow plowing. No pets, no smoking. \$950/month. 989-370-1290. (-3/10/11/tf/2)

2 BEDROOM, 2 CAR attached garage located on Main Street. Rent \$625, plus deposit. No smoking, no pets. Call 390-0846. (-3/24/11/tf/2)

Cobble Creek II Apartments

a family community located in Grayling, MI is currently accepting applications for 1 Bedroom, 2 Bedrooms Apartments. Units of barrier free design may also be available. Rent is based on income.

For affordable housing call
989-348-3150

This institution is an
Equal Opportunity Provider,
Equal Housing Opportunity.

TDD# (800) 649-3777

WHISPERING PINES APARTMENTS

Whispering Pines Apartments is currently accepting applications for 1-and 2-bedroom apartments. We are accepting applications for Seniors 62 years of age and older and Handicap/Disabled persons, regardless of age. Income-based rent is available. Apartments feature walk-in closets, air conditioning and open living areas. Rent includes heat, domestic hot water and more. For more information, or to tour the property, please call (989)344-0020.

Equal Housing Opportunity.
TDD 1-800-649-3777

3. Employment

2. For Rent

201 FULTON STREET One bedroom upper level apartment. Intercom from apartment to locked security door. Air conditioned, individual locked storage in basement with washer and dryer. Garage with auto opener. Non smoking only in a smoke free building. No pets. \$485 per month, \$450 security deposit plus utilities. References required. Call 989-350-4050. (-3/31/11/tf/2)

CLOSE TO TOWN Two efficiency cabins. \$380 per month, \$380 security, \$50 cleaning fee. Utilities not included. No pets. Spring special \$100 off first months rent. 348-5124. (-5/2)

COMMERCIAL BUILDING FOR RENT 6251 M-72 West, 1/2 mile from city. Large parking lot, 840 sq. ft., suitable for office, retail, beauty shop. \$550 month. 989-348-4716. (-4/28/11/tf/2)

VIKING VILLAGE APARTMENTS is now accepting applications for availability in June. Very nice two bedroom, two bath apartments approximately one mile west of Grayling off M-72. Units in this quiet mature community include central air conditioning, attached garage, paved lighted streets and driveways, stove, refrigerator, dishwasher, washer and dryer. Lawn care, snow removal, and garbage pickup included in the annual lease. Contact Herb Olson, at 989-348-9456, for more information. (-5/5/11/tf/2)

3. Employment

EXPERIENCED TREE TRIMMER WANTED Must have valid driver license. Please call 989-390-0187. (-4/28/11/tf/3)

2. For Rent

Grayling Pines Apartments

Grayling Pines Apartments is currently accepting applications for 1-and 2-bedroom apartments. Income-based rent is available. Apartments feature walk-in closets, air conditioning and open living areas and private patios/balconies. Rent includes heat, domestic hot water and more. For more information, or to tour the property, please call (989)344-0020. Equal Housing Opportunity. TDD 1-800-649-3777

3. Employment

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HIGH PAYING CAREERS for men and women in transportation. Contact Liberty Truck Driving School. 888-602-5966, www.libertytruckdrivingschool.com. (-3-10-17-24-31-7-14-21-28-5-12-19-26-2-9-16-23-30/3)

TEAM LEADER - PT, PTA, OTR, COTA, SLP, Grayling, MI. Agility Health is seeking a full-time Team Leader to lead our rehab team in beautiful Grayling, MI. The facility is a 40-bed SNF, which offers an experienced multi-discipline rehab team. Specialty programs/services include: Eden Community, Good to Great, Fish Philosophy, Functional Cognition programs, and documentation training. A qualified candidate will be a graduate of a professional training program and licensed in Michigan. Please contact Jenny at 616-356-5020 or email Jenny@agilityhealth.com for more information. (-21-28-5/3)

CANOE LIVERY DRIVING JOBS available. College students need a job? Looking for someone hard working able to lift 50 to 70 lbs. and has a good driving record. Must have great customer social skills. Contact Carlisle Canoes at 989-348-2301. (-21-28-5-12/3)

3. Employment

Kirtland Community College
10775 N. St. Helen Road
Rosecommon, MI 48853

SONOGRAPHY EXTERNSHIP SPECIALIST: Kirtland Community College is seeking applicants for a part-time (20 hours per week, 48 weeks per year) position responsible for planning and organizing sonography program externship site placement at the M-TEC in Gaylord, MI. Application deadline is May 20, 2011. Please visit <http://kirtland.edu/humanresources/jobs/sonext.htm> for the complete job posting. Equal opportunity employer.

3. Employment

ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT North Central Area Credit Union is seeking an upbeat friendly professional individual with excellent people skills. Must be highly organized and be able to handle numerous duties and deadlines effectively at the same time, proficient with Microsoft office and general secretarial duties. NCACU offers an attractive compensation package. Submit resume to Tammy Schwalm by fax 989-910-5129 or mail NCACU Attn: Tammy, P.O. Box 817, Houghton Lake, MI 48629 by May 18. (-5-12/3)

FIFTH STREET SALON seeking motivated stylist. Experience preferred. Please call 989-275-1414 or 989-275-4931, leave message. (-5-12/3)

4. Services Offered

EXPERIENCED AND RELIABLE college student looking to rake and install docks. Prices negotiable. Call 989-390-4628 (Alex Gabriel) (-5-12-19/4)

LIBERTY LANDSCAPE clean-ups. Call Derick 989-614-1213. Free estimates, by the job or the hour. Many other services offered. (-28-5-12/4)

BUY HERE, PAY HERE bad credit, bankruptcy, repos, OK. Easy terms, low down payment. Most monthly payments under \$200. 24 month warranties available on all vehicles. Hundreds of vehicles and thousands of happy customers. Free gas. Call Rich 989-306-3656. (-5-12-19-26-2/4)

APPLIANCE REPAIR For the best service on all major brand appliances call Hometown Heating and Cooling. Grayling at 989-348-4252. (-09/17/09/tf/4)

3. Employment

4. Services Offered

FREE REMOVAL of unwanted washers, dryers, stoves, water heaters and other miscellaneous scrap metal. 348-3514. (-5/4)

LIFE PROBLEMS getting you down? Call GRACE Center, 989-348-2544. (3/19/09/tf/4)

WASHER BROKEN? It's cheaper to fix it! Call Appliance Rehab, specializing in washer, dryer, oven and refrigerator repair! Same day service! Local 989-820-2062. (-5-12/4)

JB POWERWASH Specializing in house and deck cleaning/resealing. Call 989-344-1412. (-5-12-19-26-2-9/4)

PERFECT PITCH PIANO TUNING Prompt, quality service. Serving all of northern Michigan. tgulick@perfectpitchtuning.com. Tom Gulick 888-370-2336. (-4/11/10/tf/4)

ROOFING, ROOFING, All shingles, new construction, tear-offs. Residential, commercial, emergency work welcome. Licensed and insured. 20 years experience. Free estimates 989-348-5817, 989-390-1526. (LR5/26/11/4)

PROFESSIONAL HEMMING jeans, dresses, slacks, etc., weddings. 989-915-9099. (-5-19/4)

NATURE VALLEY PHOTOGRAPHY (naturevalleyphotography.com.) Senior Pictures \$75. Family/Children Portraits \$100. Weddings \$250. Robin Colwell 989-390-4836. (-21-28-5-12/4)

ALL - WRIGHT GARAGE DOORS Sales, service, installation. Call Jason 989-390-0035. (-5-12-19-26/4)

3. Employment

Northland Area Federal Credit Union

is seeking an exceptional individual for the role of part time member service representative. The ideal candidate will have excellent communication skills and educate members in a professional, courteous manner. Applicants may fill out an application/background investigation form at the Grayling branch or online at www.northlandcu.com/aboutus/careeropportunities.



EMS DIRECTOR FULL TIME

Baker College of Cadillac is searching for a full-time EMS Director.

* For job requirements and responsibilities, start date and work schedule, please refer to our web site at www.baker.edu/jobs

Full benefit package. Please send resume and cover letter by May 9, 2011 to:

Human Resource Department
Baker College of Cadillac
9600 East 13th Street
Cadillac, MI 49601
Fax: (231) 876-3441
Email: hr-ca@baker.edu
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A MEETING ON HYDRAULIC Fracturing Gas Drilling, sponsored by Don't Frack Michigan.org. Wednesday, May 11, at 7 p.m. at the United Way Building in Gaylord, corner of 5th and Elm streets. 231-238-4786. (-5/8)

MAY 11, 2011 - Fall Protection Seminar, 8 a.m. till 10 a.m., Markey Twp. Hall. June 16, 2011 new fall protection rules go into effect. DELEG will be offering a two hour Fall Protection seminar through the Tri-Lakes Home Builders Association. To find out more about the class please call 989-821-1190 or email: trilakes@charter.net. R.S.V.P. by May 10, 2011. Class is \$10 for members, \$45 for nonmembers. (-5/8)

OPEN MIC NIGHT - Thanks a Latte. 6 p.m. - 8 p.m., May 6. Come for entertainment or perform. (-5/8)

SPRING INTO FASHION Saturday, May 21, at St. Mary's Family Center, noon - 2:30 p.m., \$15 luncheon and Fashion Show. Tickets available at Ice House, Riverland Gear, J. DAP, North Country Corner and Parrot's Perch. Advance tickets only. Information, 989-348-5625. (-5-12/8)

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THE MASON GRIFFITH FOUNDERS Chapter of Trout Unlimited will be holding their annual fundraising banquet at the Grayling Ramada Inn, 6 p.m., on May 21. For tickets or information, call 989-348-1987 or 989-390-0836. (-5-12/8)

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Proposals will be received until 3:30 p.m. on Thursday, May 12, 2011 at Kirtland Community College's facilities management office at which time they will be opened and publicly read. Detailed specifications and bid instructions are available on Kirtland's website <https://my.kirtland.edu/ics/Community/> or by calling 989-275-5000, ext. 263.

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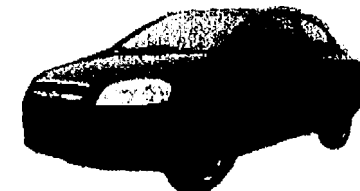
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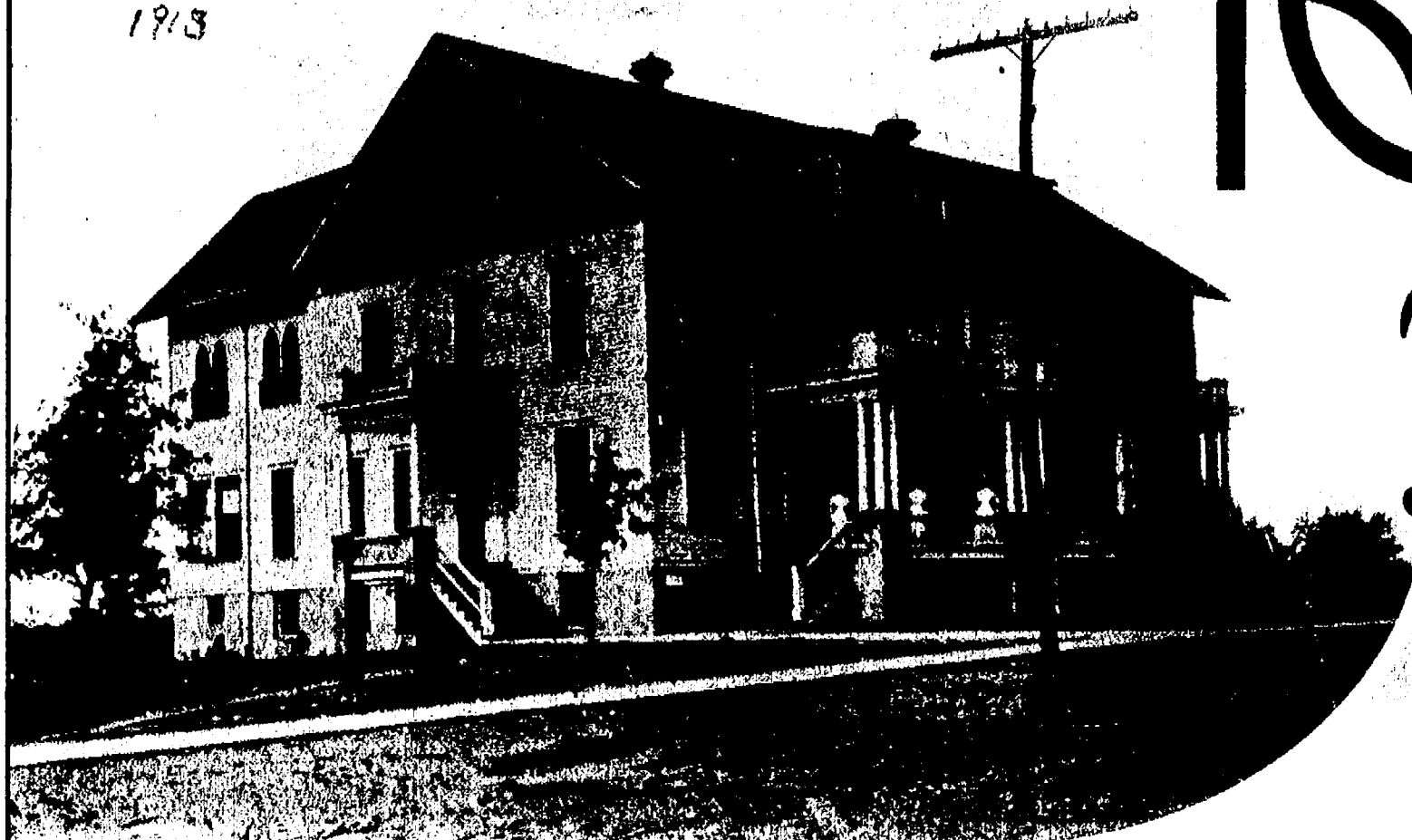
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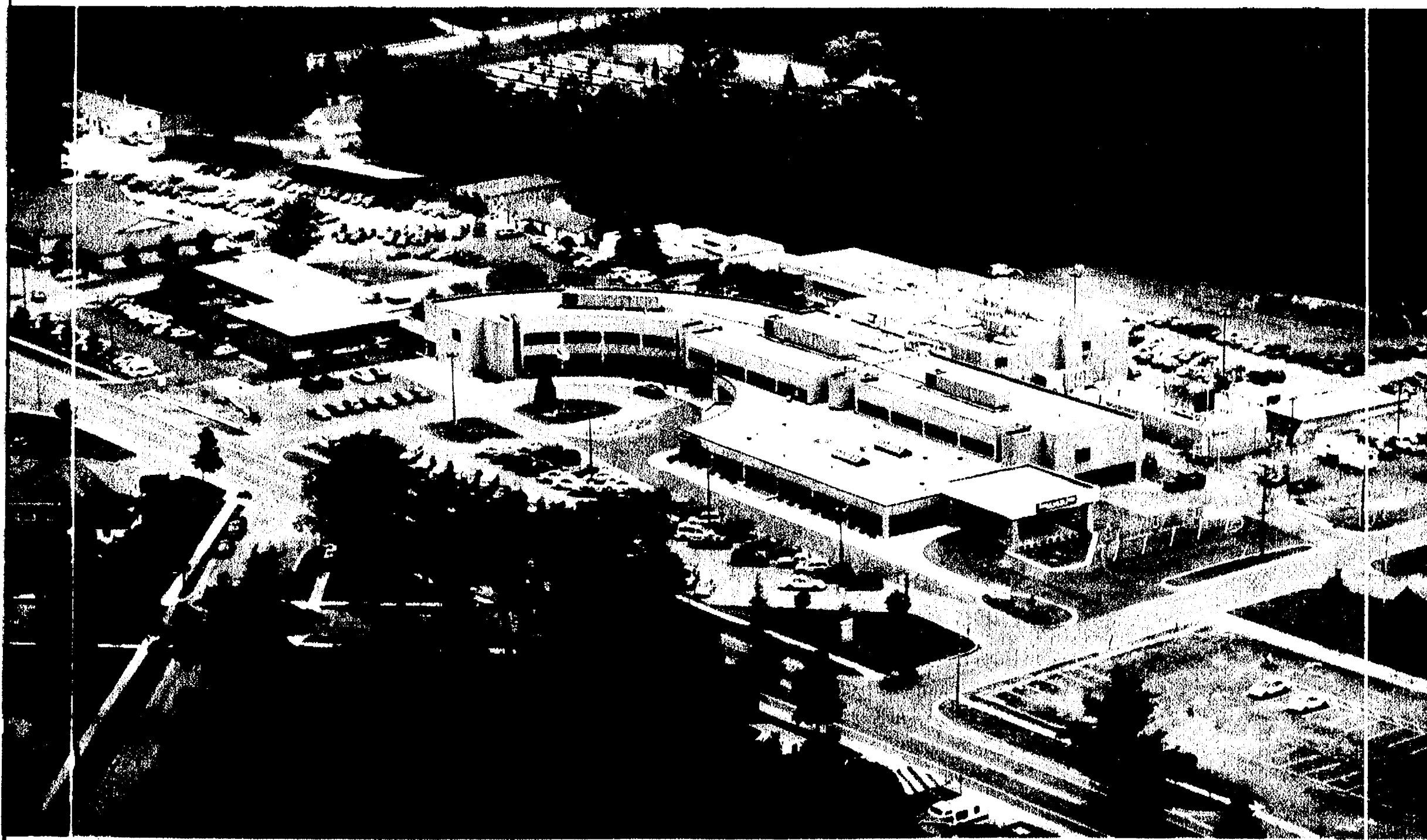
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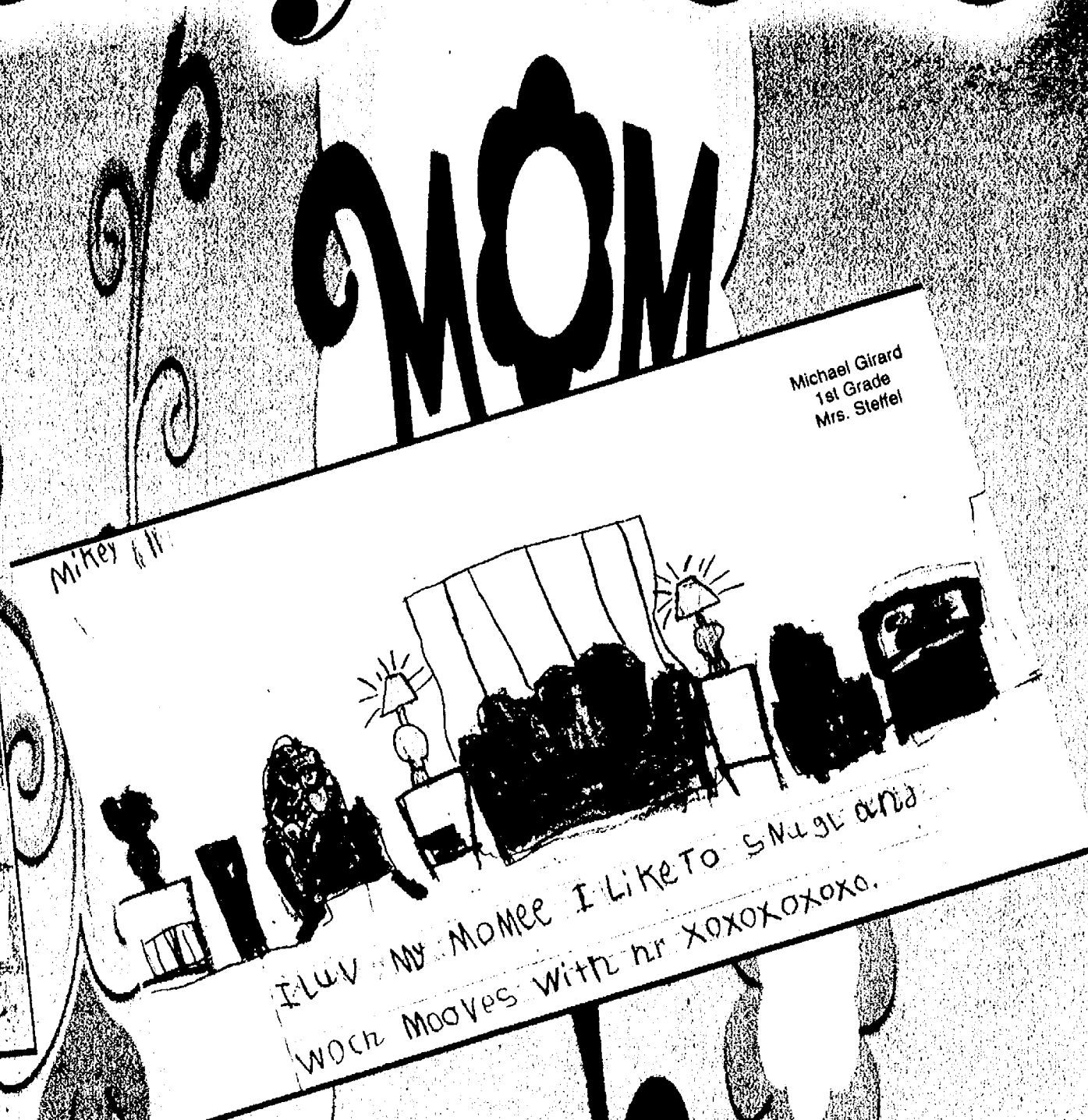
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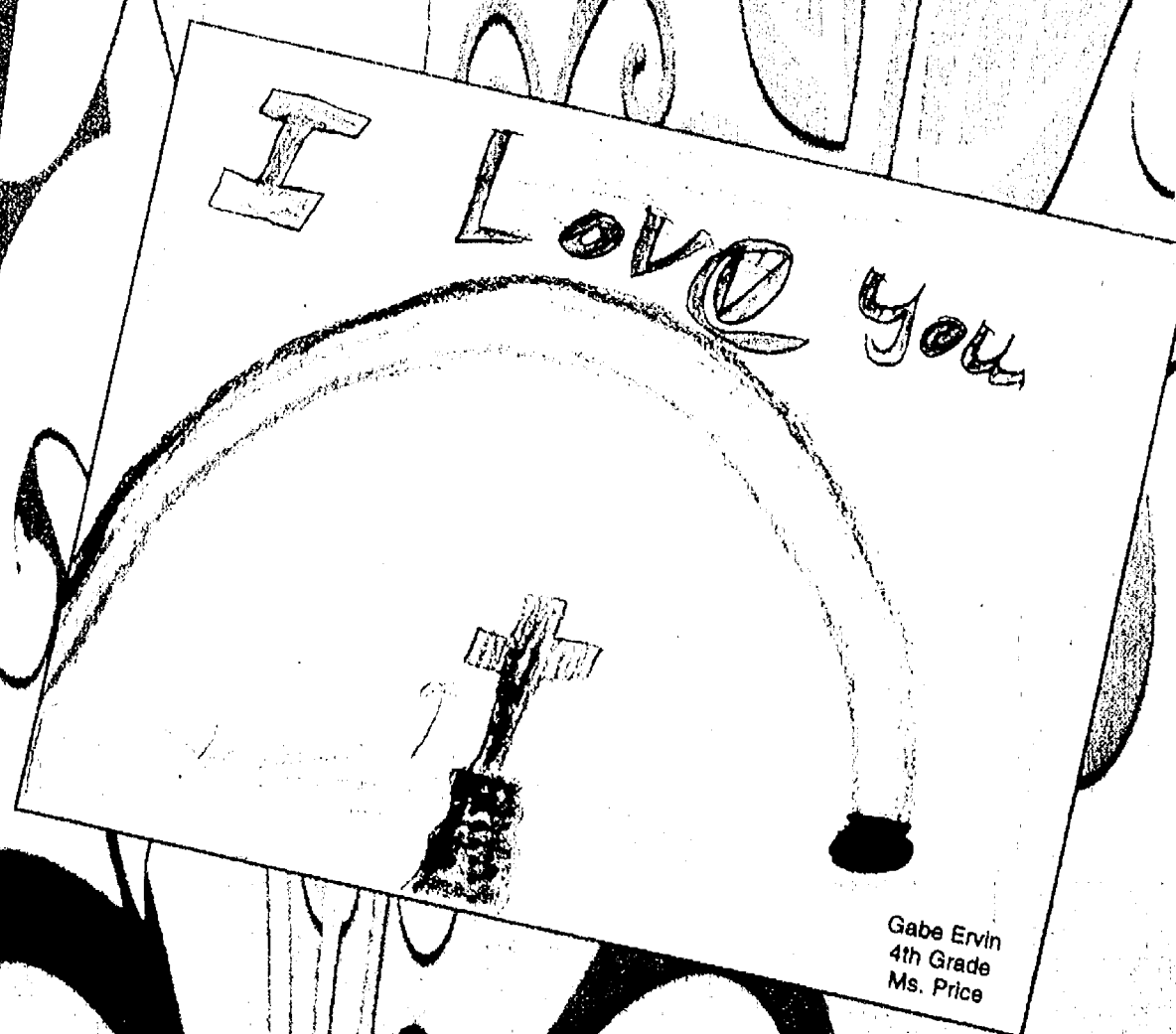
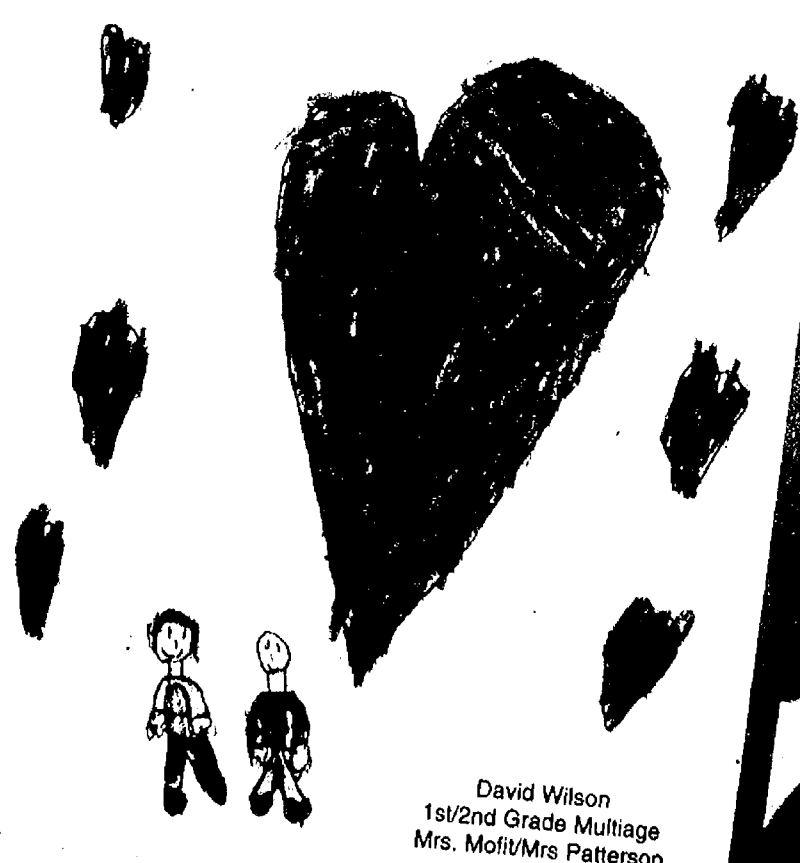
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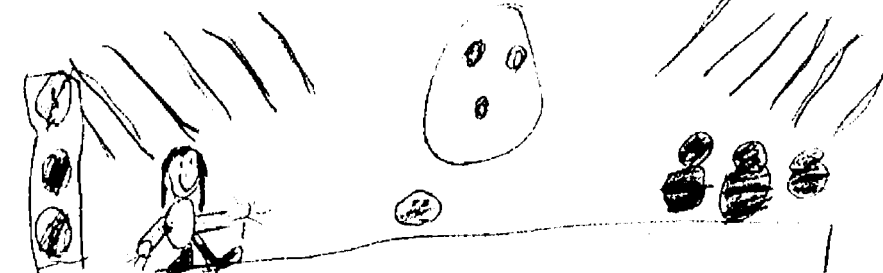
Madison Ingersall
I wud get my mom pink flowers from flowers by Josie.

Happy Mother's Day from the Friends & Staff of Hartwick Pines State Park



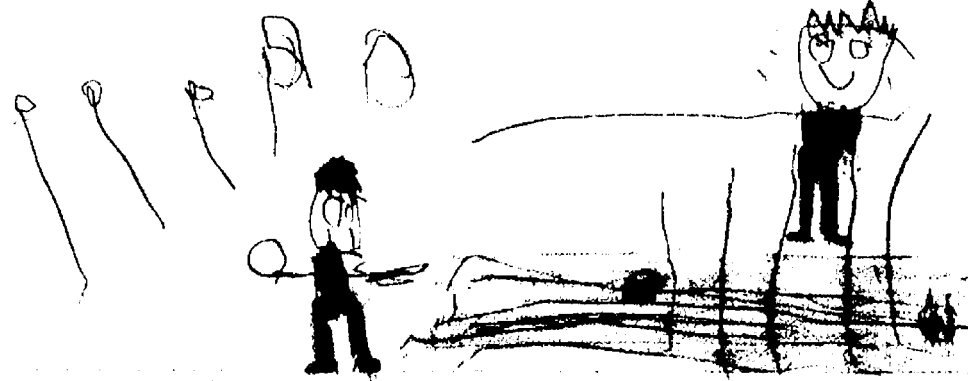
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BEN OWENS
I want to take my mom to Hartwick Pines so we can check out maple syrup.



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I will take my mom bowling. mom likes to go bowling



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I love my mom because she takes care of me and I take care of her. I will get her flowers and take her somewhere nice.
Makayla Watkins Pre-K Ms. Smock

I would take my Mom to Dairy Queen because I love my mommy.
Jasmyne Schmidt Kindergarten Mrs. Huspen

I love my mom because she rides bikes with me. I will give her a hug for Mother's Day.
Jorgianna Bidwell Pre-K Ms. Karyn and Ms. Gloria

I love my mother because she is the most beautiful woman in the world and I love her so much! I am taking her on an adventure walk to a cliff to enjoy the sunset.
Zander Tinker Pre-K Ms. Smock

I would take my Mom to 7-11. We will get a slrpe.
Derryk O'Dell Kindergarten Mrs. Huspen

I will take my mom to 7-11. I love my mom because she takes care of me.
Kynadi Dole Kindergarten Mrs. Huspen

I love my mom because she cuddles with me. I will take her to Big Boy for Mother's Day but she really likes Olive Garden.
Logan Sanborn Pre-K Ms. Smock

I wood take my mom to Kim's Nalse to get her nalse panid.
Lauren Hartman Kindergarten Mrs. Steffel

I'm gowen to tak my Mom to DQ Because seh like DQ I love my Mom Because seh gis me xoxoxoxoxoxoxoxoxoxox Buk seh love me.
Raigen Bowers Kindergarten Mrs. Steffel

I love my mom because she tucks me in, gives me attention and lets me watch movies. I will buy my mom a computer from Kmart for Mother's Day. I will ask my Dad to take me.
Kale Black Pre-K Ms. Smock

I love my mom because she watches Snow White with me. I will get her a new TV for Mother's Day.
Haylee Roberts Pre-K Ms. Smock

I love my mom because she spends time with me. I am taking my mom for ice cream and to get our faces painted.
Alyssa Huber Pre-K Ms. Smock

I love my mom because she gives me hugs. I am taking her for ice cream on Mother's Day.
Landon Hoffman Pre-K Ms. Smock

I love my mom because she takes care of me when I am sick and she makes me pancakes. I am taking her shopping for Mother's Day.
Addie Belcher Pre-K Ms. Smock

I would take my mom to Dairy Queen. We will get ice cream.
Kristen Barnes Kindergarten Mrs. Huspen

I am go ing to tak yuw to flordu to ess yor dad yuu can go in th arsw iming-pool.
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I wud tak mom to Dire Qen the git a uskrn kon.

Cole Dickie
Kindergarten
Mrs. Tunney

I Love my mom she gives me xoxoxo evrey day I am gunu bring her to Big boy.

Graydon Wheeler
Kindergarten
Mrs. Tunney

I love mom beus my mom tas me to thet park. Love, Morgan.

Morgan Stahl
Kindergarten
Mrs. Sajdak

Happy Mother's Day Mom. Thak you for mik me panks. Love, Julia.

Julia McKelvey
Kindergarten
Mrs. Sajdak

Happy Mother's Day Mom. I luv you, Luv, Angelina.

Angelina Madej
Kindergarten
Mrs. Sajdak

I like my mom bekus my mom is nice to me. Happy Mother's day. Love, Sam

Samuel Baudoux
Kindergarten
Mrs. Sajdak

I wil tac Mom to go see duck at the Purad. I love you.

Candence Ingersoll
Kindergarten
Mrs. DesEnfant

I can walk my mom to gramuz. I wel wrk for her.

Aaron Hawes
Kindergarten
Mrs. DesEnfant

Happy Mother Day I love you I will tak you out trookin thretin

Makaila Dreyse
Kindergarten
Mrs. DesEnfant

Happy Mothers day I love her so mush I will tac her ot to dareqen

Sophie Rakoczy
Kindergarten
Mrs. DesEnfant

I Driv my mom to the stor Kindergarten Mrs. DesEnfant

Mom i got you flowrs. I gave you a hug. happy mothers day! Love

Gabriel Castle
Kindergarten
Mrs. DesEnfant

Happy Mother's day I Love you bekez you help me

Emma Alma
Kindergarten
Mrs. DesEnfant

Happy mothers day! I love you! love

Dominic Venneman
Kindergarten
Mrs. DesEnfant

Happy Mother's day I Love you you are good to me.

Love Aimce Byrant Kreitner
Kindergarten
Mrs. DesEnfant

I love my mom I will take my mom on a boat ride on the river.

Brook Noffsinger
1st grade
Mrs. Helvie

I will take my mom to glens to get a rig with a diamond on it.

Lily Ramos
1st grade
Mrs. Helvie

On Mother's Day I will take my grandina on a walk. She likes to see birds.

Jasmine Youngblood
1st grade
Mrs. Helvie

On Mother's Day I will take my mommy to a coffee store because mommy like coffee.

Emma May Helsel
1st grade
Mrs. Helvie

On Mother's Day I will take my mom to Wimpy's because she likes Iserem.

Daniel Oberg
1st grade
Mrs. Helvie

I take my mom to church on Mother's Day.

Matthew Christie
1st grade
Mrs. Helvie

On Mother's Day I will take my mom to Grayling Restaurant.

Gary Pringle
1st grade
Mrs. Helvie

On Mother's Day I will take my mom to the park she likes the park because she likes it.

Jenny Brown
1st grade
Mrs. Helvie

Happy Mothers Day! I love you xoxo you are my hert.

Allie Bonamic
1st grade
Ms. Goetz

You are the best mother in the hole wide world. xoxoxo.

Caleb Caul
1st grade
Ms. Goetz

Happy Mother's Day You are the best mom ever. Oxoxox.

Olivia Graziano
1st grade
Ms. Goetz

I love my mom. happy mother's day.

Camren Hulbert
1st grade
Ms. Goetz

happy mother's day you are the best mom ever i love mom.

Matte Budrow
1st grade
Ms. Goetz

Happy Mother's Day Nana I like that you let me play Jumping Bean Island.

Jimmy Johns
1st grade
Ms. Goetz

Happy mother's day! You are the best mom in the unuvers. xoxoxoxoxox.

Danny Snyder
1st grade
Ms. Goetz

Happy mother's day! I love you!

Lacie Hoffman
1st grade
Ms. Goetz

Happy Mothers's Day! You are the best mom in the world!

Dylan Cragg
1st grade
Ms. Goetz

happy mother's day! You are the best mother. Xoxox.

Kylor Stocker
1st grade
Ms. Goetz

On momths day I will take my mom to the park for a picnic. I take her there becus she thiks it' pestful.

Allyson Johnson
1st grade
Mrs. Alexander

I will bi my mom a dimond neklz from Davis Jewler.

Jaden Peecever
1st grade
Mrs. Alexander

On Mothers Day I will take you to the party store to get scrap booking stuff I love you mommy Love

Brittanie Synder
1st grade
Mrs. Alexander

On Mother's day I will take my mom to davis jewelry and I will get aa dimin for her flabwre and I will get her fllows for Mother day

Alaina Anderson
1st grade
Mrs. Alexander

I love my mom she works for me hard so at night I would take her on an date and git her some kookei do ice cream at Stevens and then buy her a neklz.

Nate Persing
1st grade
Mrs. Steffel

I'm going to take my mom to dounsons because she LOVES! getting ice cream sunday's with cerry's. I love my mom because it's like a cloud of love a bove her heart blowing love to her. Where goona surprize her by Dad waiting for her to come.

Alex Teeter
1st grade
Mrs. Steffel

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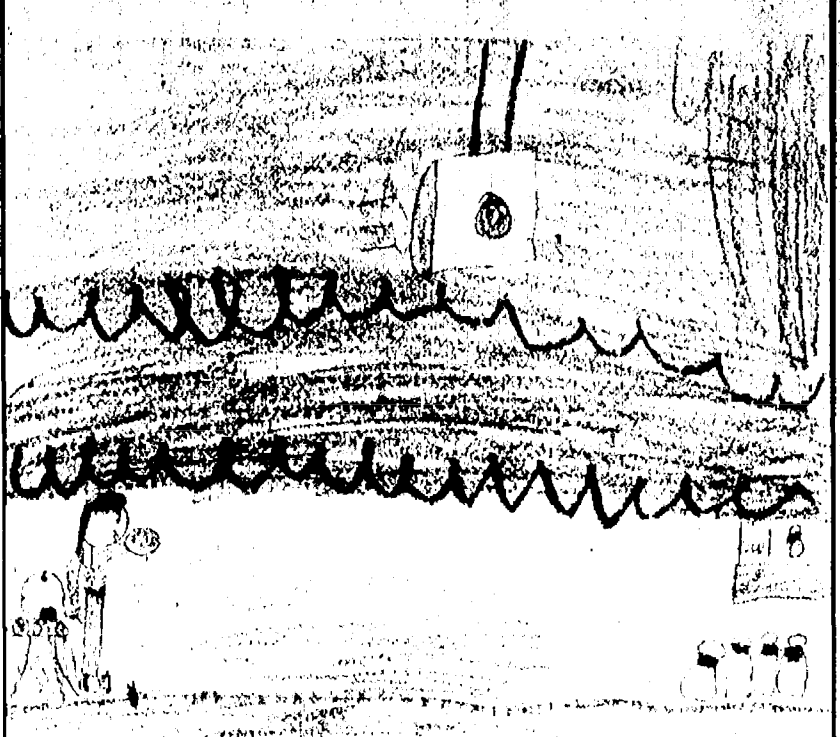
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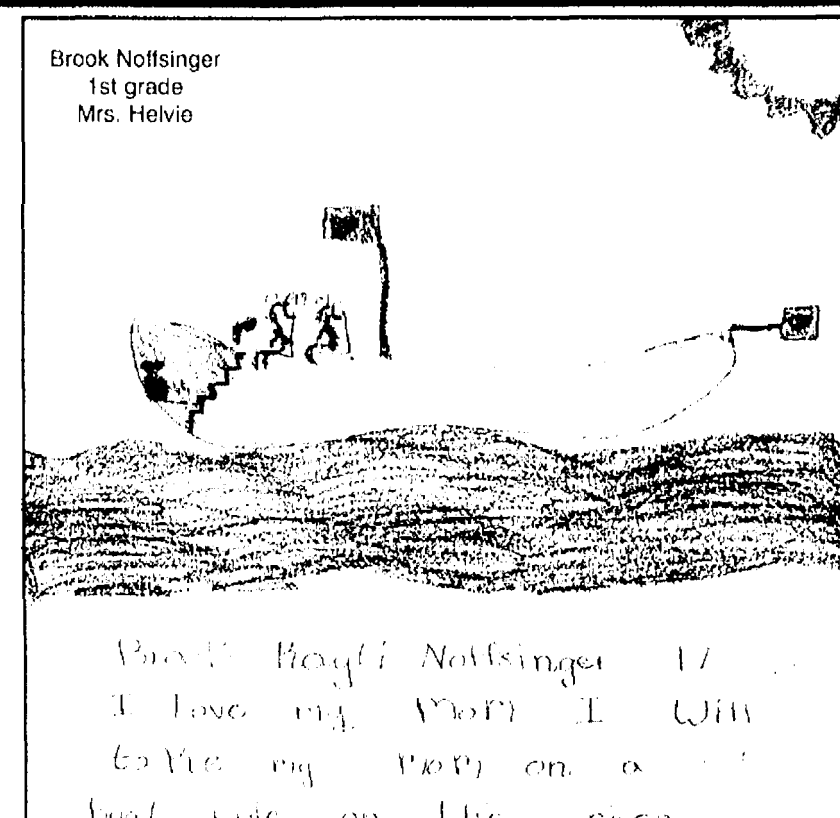
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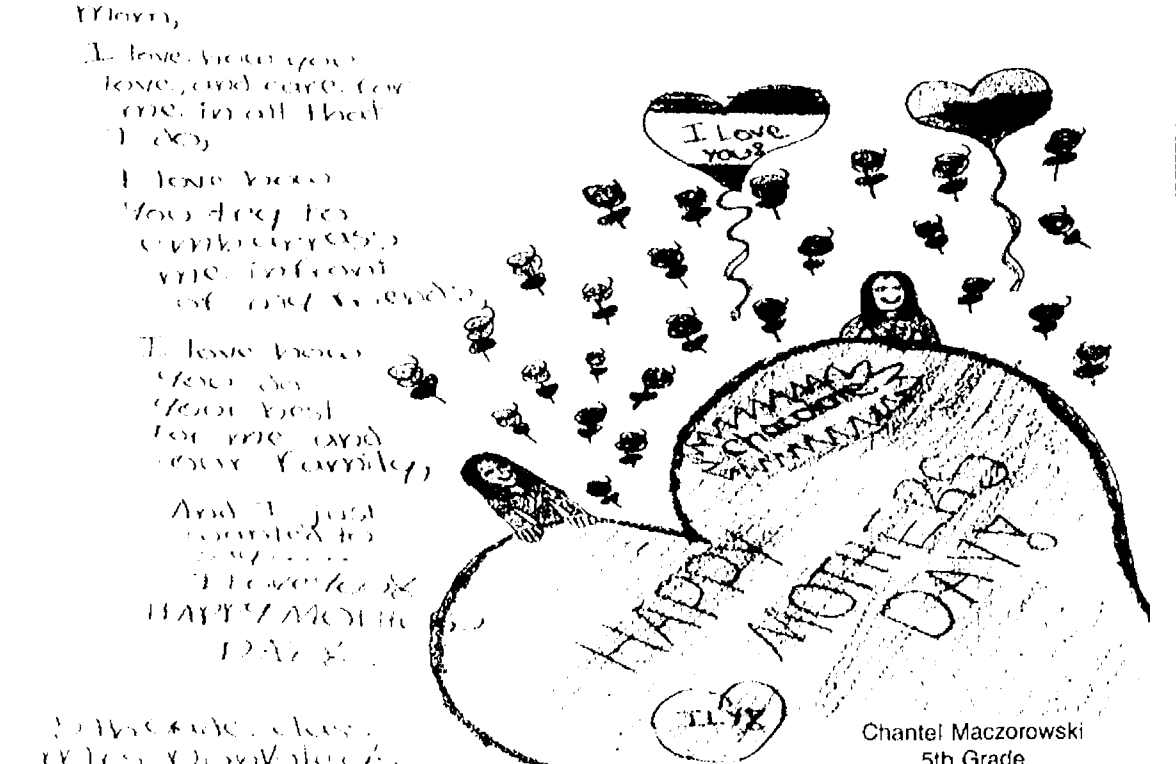


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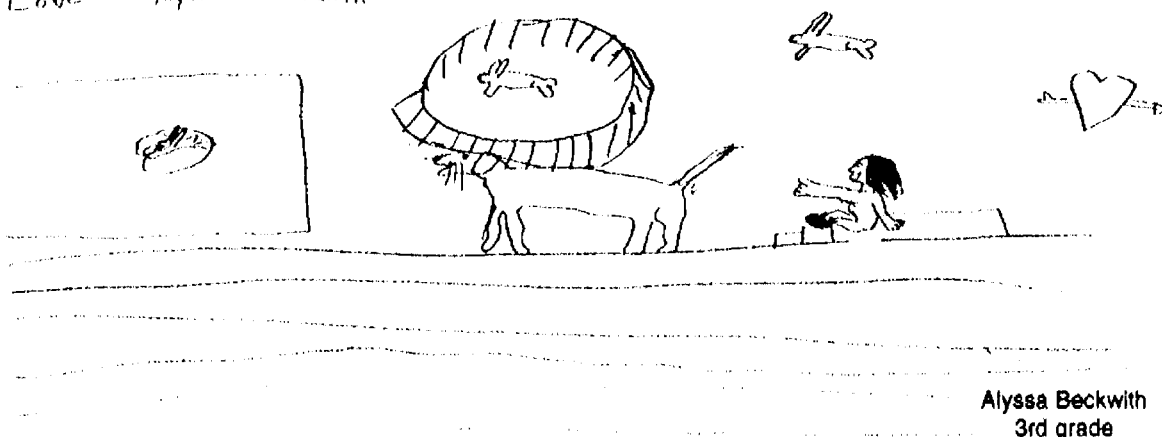
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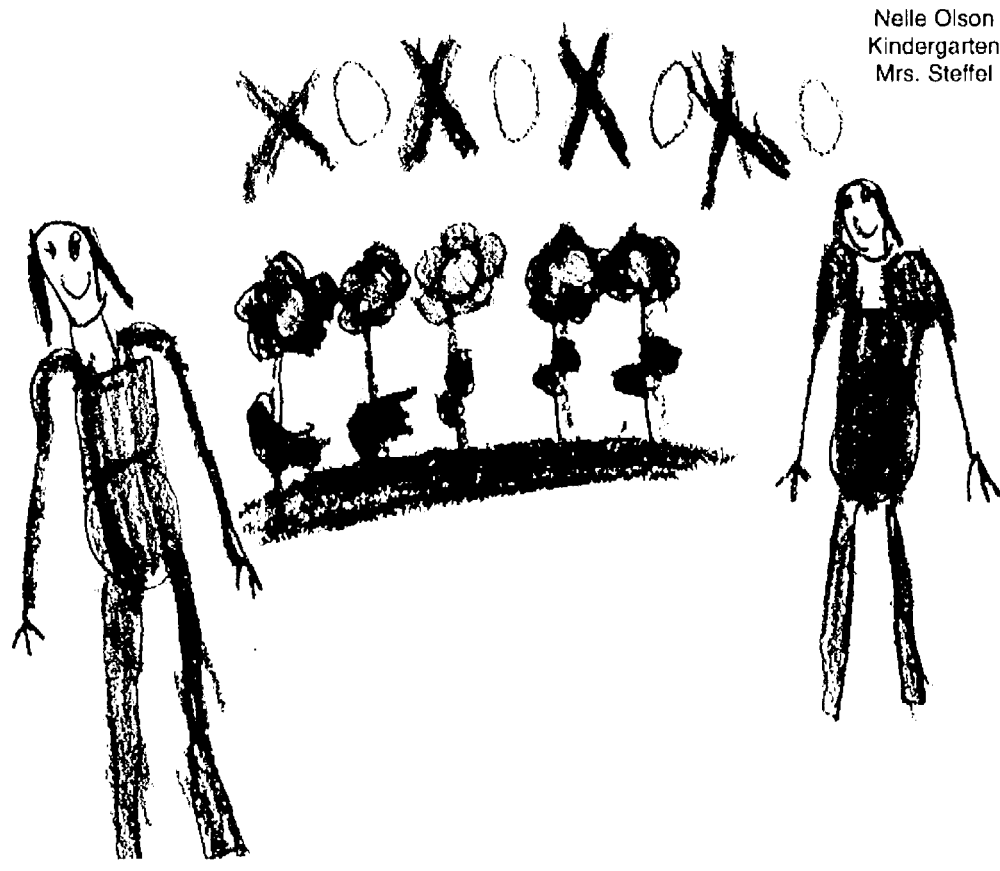
Owen Triebow

I will take my mom to Big Boy for a grill cheese sandwich.

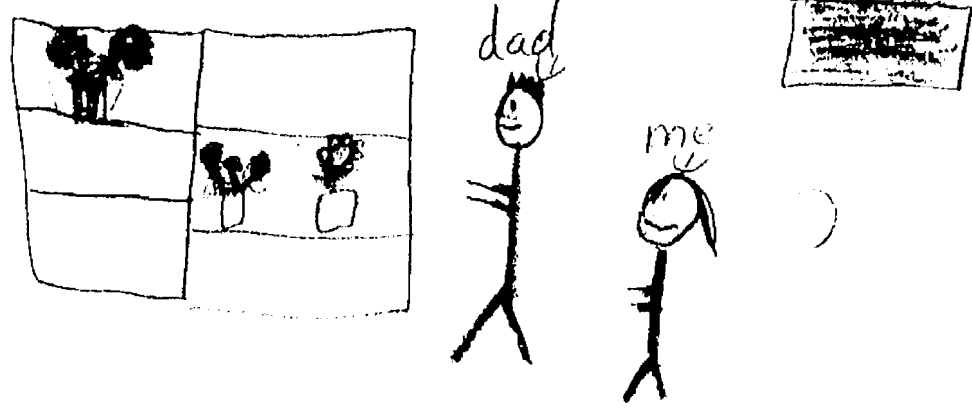
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I would get my mom flowers for mother's day because she loves flowers and she'll be at home so it's perfect.

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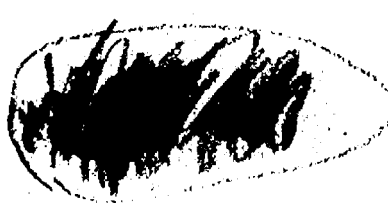


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I will tell Santa to give my mom a car for Mother's Day. Thank you for taking me to my Grandma's house! Jacob Carnes 1st grade Mrs. Tunney	My mom makes no-bakes. My mom bought me a big yard. My mom gets me cards! Devin O'Dell 1st/2nd grade multiage Mrs. Moffit/Mrs. Patterson	Mom you have a big smile on your face when you smile at me Mom i love you. Donavin Sutton 2nd grade Mrs. Fox
I will go to the Rose shop and the grooce shop bekus every nit she max dinr evre nit for me. Samantha Hoesli 1st grade Mrs. Tunney	My mom is awesome! She puts up with us four kids and cleans our laundry. Sierra Trudeau 1st/2nd grade multiage Mrs. Moffit/Mrs. Patterson	I would like to give my mom a petacure and do an at home spa. And ask dad to help make a special brekfest. Madison Hall 2nd grade Mrs. Fox
i will take my mom to Dare caring and git her ice crem before that i am taking her to git her har and nils done and take her to new clos i love you the best mom ever. Abigail Wakeley 1st grade Mrs. Tunney	Moms are awesome. Moms like to have kids sometimes. My mom looks pretty. Chloe Listeman 1st/2nd grade multiage Mrs. Moffit/Mrs. Patterson	if i hade to do anything for you i would do... take you to Kims Magic Nails then take you to anteir store and if you bought me something you would be the best mom EVER Gabrielle Lutz 2nd grade Mrs. Fox
I wod take my mom to 7eleven and get a slerpy be cuse she loves me sooo much. Hayden Reese 1st grade Mrs. Tunney	Mom you are the best! Mom I want to pamper you. Mom you love me good! Abigail Thomas 1st/2nd grade multiage Mrs. Moffit/Mrs. Patterson	Dear Mother, I know you won't always be here but I'll always know you love me. I want you to know you will always be in my heart. I'll probably give you a gift, but not stor bought. I'll make it myself. I love you mom. Chloe Seibel 2nd grade Mrs. Hetfield
I luv u mom! I will tace u too chucecheesis for mothrs day. Hunter Hunter Sippola 1st grade Mrs. Baker	I love my mommy. She makes fantastic cookies. I love her a lot. Brayden Whitley 1st/2nd grade multiage Mrs. Moffit/Mrs. Patterson	I love my mom so much will you accept my gift? I love you soo much. I hope you live forever. Long Live Mom! Leslie Johnson 2nd grade Mrs. Hetfield
happy Mother's Day you are thar foor me wen im sad you are thar wen im hape you are thar wen i im tole you are ther with me owes. I luv you. Stacy Stacy Denno 1st grade Mrs. Baker	My Mom Embarassing mom. But I love her bubble baths. My mom is crazy! Alora Cobb 1st/2nd grade multiage Mrs. Moffit/Mrs. Patterson	I'm going to take my mom golfing and bowling. Logan Sprtel 2nd grade Mrs. Hetfield
I love my mom so much. I want to get hra doog and a noocar for muthrs day! Love, Jay Jay Benardo 1st grade Mrs. Baker	My mom is awesome. She'll take me to see horses. My mom loves me lots. Hannah Snider 1st/2nd grade multiage Mrs. Moffit/Mrs. Patterson	I will take my mommy to KMart and buy her a new pair of gold earrings. Lucia Neveux 2nd grade Mrs. Hetfield
I like Mothers day and i was guna say happy mothers day i love you so much and you are the Best and i like you bkus you do stuff for me and i no i do somestuff for you some times and at home i clean for you. But i still love you. ok well i am owis happy wen you are aruwd sometimes and i want to give you some flowers to. Love Shaylinn Shaylinn Tackett 1st grade Mrs. Baker	Mom always loves me. Even if I am nauaghty. Moms love forever. Parker Metcalfe 1st/2nd grade multiage Mrs. Moffit/Mrs. Patterson	I love mom so much and she loves me too! Jamie Maczorowski 2nd grade Mrs. Hetfield
Happy mothes Day mom I love you a lot. i want to go rolrseaden agen with you i love you mommy. I hope you are happy win i come too Day. Love, Olivia Olivia Donahue 1st grade Mrs. Baker	My mom is pretty. Every day she is pretty. I like her so much! Izaha Nowlin 1st/2nd grade multiage Mrs. Moffit/Mrs. Patterson	Mom, I will help you at the library. I will volunteer. Bennette Sanderson 2nd grade Mrs. Hetfield
	Mom your eys sparkle just like mine but your heart says you love me inside if i could i would get you flowers by josie Zoe Padgett 2nd grade Mrs. Fox	I love you Mom! You touch my heart! I love that your always there for me! I Love you Mom. Travis Geary 2nd grade Mrs. Hetfield

I love my mom because she makes me pancakes.

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Mrs. Hatfield

For Mother's Day, I'm going to take my Mom bowling. For dinner I want to go to China West. I also I want to give her no-bake cookies for gift.

Katelynn Moore
2nd grade
Mrs. Cobb

If I had a car I would get you a flower. If I had money, I had money, I would get you a house and a car.

Ethan Eldridge
2nd grade
Mrs. Cobb

I am going to take my mom to Wimpy's and pay with my own money. I really love my mom.

Juli Daniels
2nd grade
Mrs. Cobb

To Mom: April showers bring mom flowers upon mother's day if that doesn't work her son's love will.

Bruce Coulter
2nd grade
Mrs. Cobb

Dear Mom, Im going to by flowers for you for Mother's Day I might bring you bowling I'll buy ice cream for you at darey queen.

Sam Crawford
2nd grade
Mrs. Cobb

I will take my mom camping. My mom is the best mom in the world because she buys me toys.

Tyler McKelvey
2nd grade
Mrs. Boik

I will take my mom on a bike ride to town and buy icecream for us. Strawberry for mom chocolate for me!

Kameron Steiger
2nd grade
Mrs. Boik

I love you mom I will take my mom to get a new blue and black mini van with a TV inside.

Natalie Smith
2nd grade
Mrs. Boik

Dear Mom you are the best mother in the world because she gets me toys that I want Mom I would get you a necklace for Mother's Day.

Darrion Martin
2nd grade
Mrs. Boik

I hope I can camp with the best mom in the world. She's the best because she takes good care of me.

Josh Cousins
2nd grade
Mrs. Boik

I love my mom because she is a loving caring mom.

Madilyn Cunningham
2nd grade
Mrs. Boik

I wish I could buy my mom a parot because she loves me and I love my mom

Isaiah Briseno
2nd grade
Mrs. Boik

I would take my mom to the beach on a hot day because she like sto swim.

Cheyann Labo
2nd grade
Mrs. Boik

I will take my mom to the beach and go swimming. p.s. the mathe stuff you gave me I'm geing the hang of it see...

Drew Canary
2nd grade
Mrs. Boik

Christy
Crazy nice
works busy cooks
Loves Eric Sissy me
She works at a bank
She loves cooking for her family
She is crazy because she forgets stuff
She is nice because she loves her family

Blake Snyder
2nd grade
Mrs. Hatfield

Stephanie
Loving giiving
Sewing camping claning
takes care of me
takes care of sis

She loves to play card games
She cares about us and her gradkids
She is the best mom in the wode

Zane Leas
2nd grade
Mrs. Hatfield

Jessie
Loving cool
running climbing playing
Loves to play games
My Mom loves to cook
My Mom love to play babies
My Mom loves my dog
Holly Jolly
My Mom loves to play on her facebook

Haley Armstrong
2nd grade
Mrs. Hatfield

Jenifer
loving caring
sleeping gardening working
She likes to sleep
She is nice to me!
She can do evrything for me
Loves to take me to the zoo!
She smells like a fower so so sweet

Mickenzie Zugar
2nd grade
Mrs. Hatfield

Traci
caring loving
cooking reading running
She likes getting purses.
Likes baking for us kids.
Likes giving hugs kisses to us.
Likes going to tennessee and having fun.
Likes getting drinks fo us kids on trips.

Klay Baker
2nd grade
Mrs. Hatfield

Angel
loveing giveing
cooking reading gardening
She loves to bake
Loves her family and friends
likes playing egg crack with her family
My mom likes to make special deserts
loves to visit her mom's house to help

Trinity Dutton
2nd grade
Mrs. Hatfield

Brandi
loving cariel
working at mmmr
she works at mmmr
loves her kids very much
She is the nicest mom ever
She folds my clothes all the time
She is the best mom in the world

Brooke Gabriel
2nd grade
Mrs. Hatfield

Coleen
nice funny
baking sleeping reading
She loves to read
She loves to play games
She helps with Cub Scouts
She cares about her friends and family
She loves to play with her family alot

Tanner Bolin
2nd grade
Mrs. Hatfield

Autum
cool pretty
cooking swing cienin
buys stuff for me
takes me to the park
She takes me to karate siass
She loves to play outside with me
She loves to take me shopping with her

Jaden Roberts
2nd grade
Mrs. Hatfield

Sara
Loving caring
cooking reading walking
She is so funny
Loves to caing and garden
likes to be silly and laugh
Enjoys working walking and being silly too
Being with family and friends makes her happy.

Bradley Trosper
2nd grade
Mrs. Hatfield

Dear Mom,
You are cool at being a Mom because you keep me sfe. You are very rare, Mom you are marvelous. I will make you breakfast in bed. Mom You Rock!

Lauren Helsel
3rd grade
Mrs. Canfield

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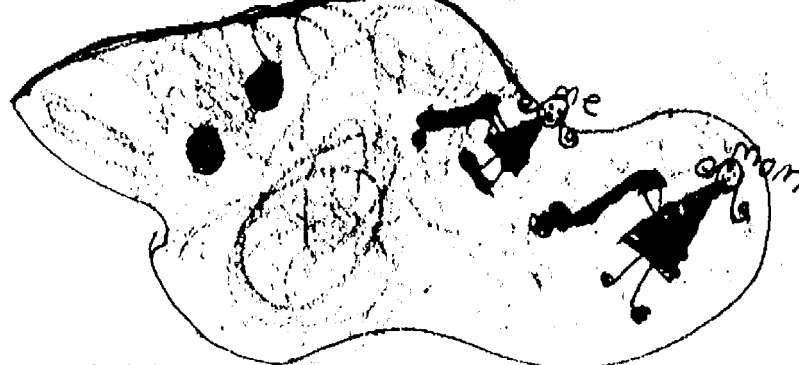


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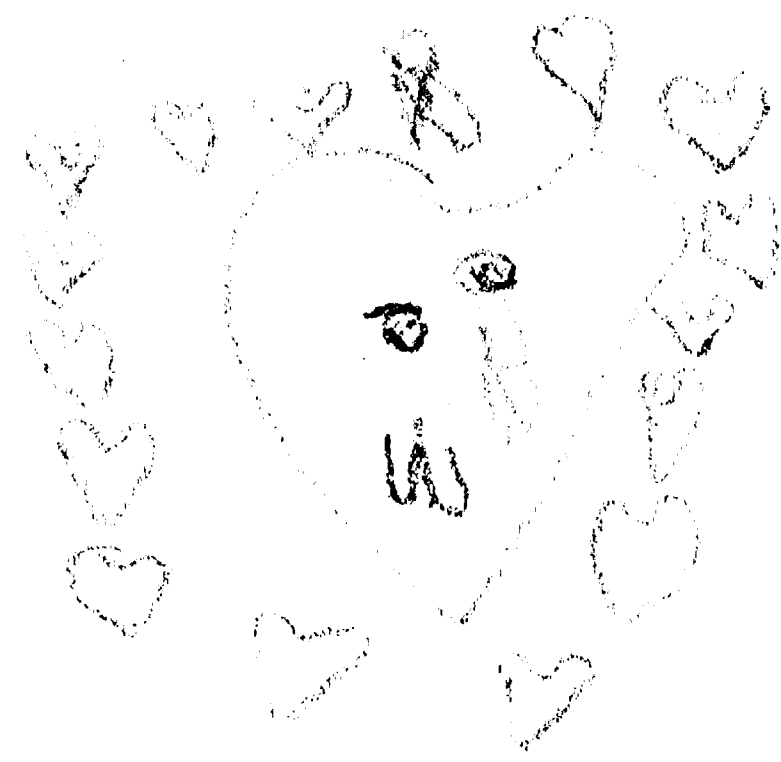


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1st/2nd Grade multiage class
Mrs. Moffit/Mrs. Patterson



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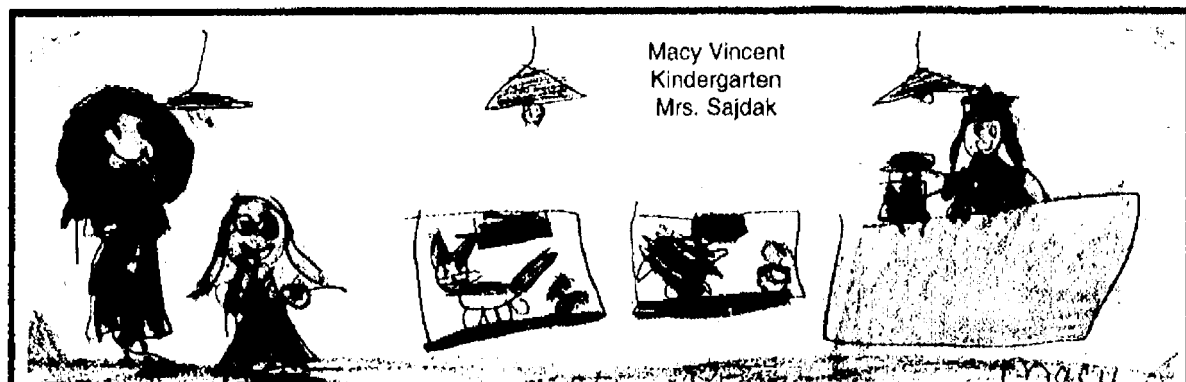
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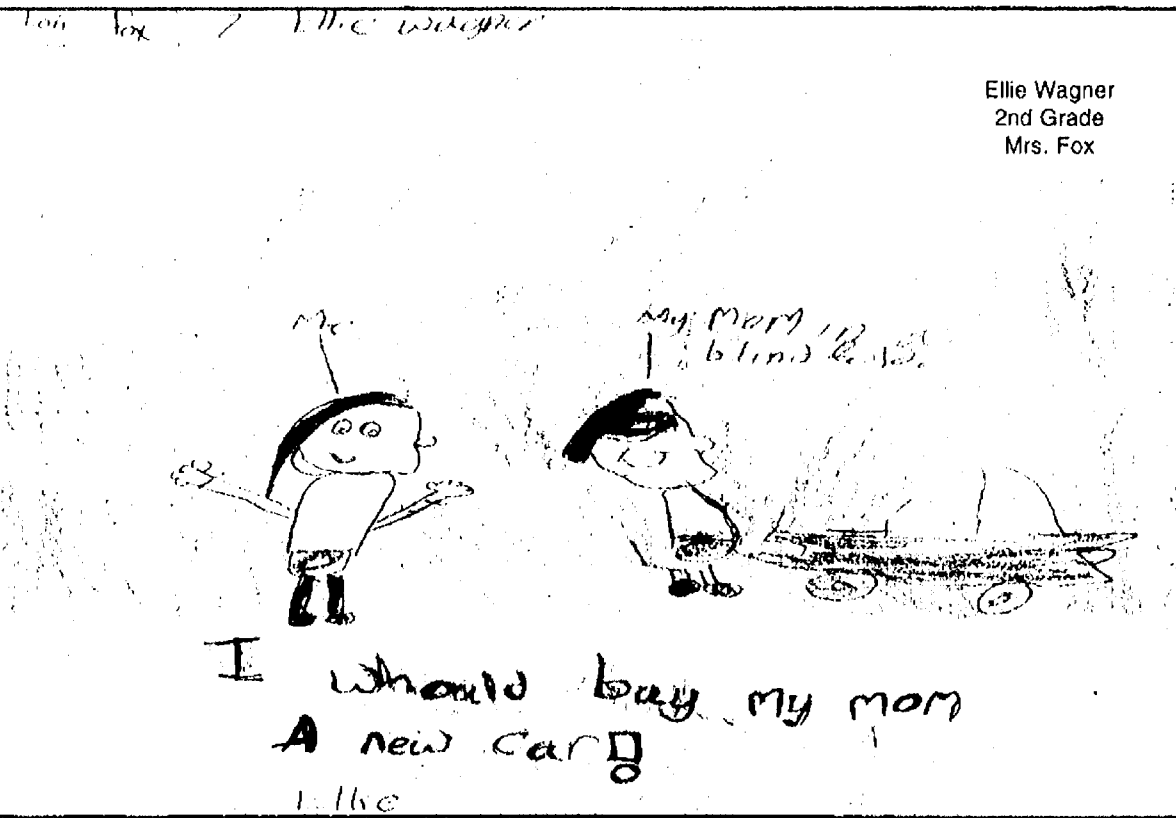
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I would take my mom to Tahiti. Tans Love Trenton

Trenton Gabriel 4th Grade Mrs. Berkshire

I will take my mom to the finest place to get a car. I'm going to take her to Hart Buick GMC Lincoln so she can get a brand new Ford Shelby GT.

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Christian Nickerson Mrs. Lewicki 4th grade

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Thank you for all of the nice things you have done for me. I like it when you make breakfast in the morning. You are the best mom ever. I like it when you help me.

Nick Green
3rd grade
Mrs. Canfield

Dear Mom,
I will take you to a fancy restaurant and ask them to play you music. I will buy food for you and when we go home, I will do all the chores while you go take a nap. So, happy Mother's Day Mom.

Parker Dole
3rd grade
Mrs. Canfield

Dear Mom,
I like the food you make like the hamburgers. I like how when I get hurt you are nice. You don't baby me but you say, "walk it off" or "put a band aid on it." Thank you for all your help. I love you.

Henry Robinson
3rd grade
Mrs. Canfield

Mommy is very nice to me. Oh, she is a little bit of a computer hog. Mommy you also play racquet ball with me. My games with mommy are fun. You will never see a mom better than mine.

Madison Hehir
3rd grade
Mrs. Canfield

The Recipe for a perfect mom.
First you need 2 teaspoons of love and care. Next you want 4 1/2 cups of respect. Then you need 3 scoops of sweet sweet faith. You should want 1 cup of yummy forgiveness. If you want you can pour in a lot of good health. If you mix it altogether you have my perfect mom.

Alexander Kenyon
3rd grade
Mrs. Canfield

Mom cooks dinner some times
Oh shes so nice to her family
There's a roof over our head of her
Every time I ask for stuff you be polite
Rrrr you get mad some times but is's ok.

Dale Gaertner
3rd grade
Mrs. Strohpaul

Mom you are the best person you make my favret brekfst and dinner sometimes. You set up my birtday party's. I love you mom.

David Burr
3rd grade
Mrs. Strohpaul

Mom I woud take you to family vido and get your favrit move.

Zack Osga
3rd grade
Mrs. Strohpaul

I will like to tacke you to Graling Resteront for Mothers Day!

Crimsun Hayes
3rd grade
Mrs. Strohpaul

Mom one thing I like about you is that you go grocery shopping for me. so If I could I would take you I would take you to Dossens and Stevens.

Caleb Preston
3rd grade
Mrs. Strohpaul

I love my mom becuse she is veary nice she also helps me clean the hoos. I want to take her to Disneyland.

Quintin Poll
3rd grade
Mrs. Strohpaul

I will take u to DQ (but I won't pay).

Nick Bluemlein
3rd grade
Mrs. Strohpaul

Mom your bacon is the best in the wold and your chicken but the most hing is your love.

Eric Smith
3rd grade
Mrs. Urban

Dar mom, I hope you have a great mothers day, because me, Austin and Jordyn will make you Breakfast and dinner for you. love all of us

Jenna Schwartz
3rd grade
Mrs. Urban

My Dear Mom,
Here is a poem for you,
Your eyes are deep in dark,
light moss green,
Your always there for thee,
Your the dream of my dreams,
The boat I sail cross the sea,
Your the treasure of all my treasures,
If I were a Pirate you would the treasure of all the bucking blue seas I'd need,
If I were Treasure hunter you would be the thing to protect me even if it were a gaint viper or cobra,
You're my Mom and your are not afraid to do anything to help thee.
I love you Mom
Love

Katherine E. Snider
3rd grade
Mrs. Urban

Dear Mom,
You are the light of my world!
You shine on me and you protect me.
Your alway's there when need help with homework. But on Mothers Day I've got money that I'm going to spend on you! Your are mine and you know that and what ever happens I'll always love you!

Allie Moffit
3rd grade
Mrs. Urban

Hearts are great you are to Everyone knows I love you Are you sweet yes you are Right now you are my star Times we have together Sharing love forever

Gerogia Barber
3rd grade
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I love you mom,
You are the bomb
Mom you are the best
But you need some rest

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Ode to mom

Sabrina Juntilla
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Darlene Surofchek
5th grade
Mrs. Casey

Mom, when I grow up I will give you all that you wished for or wanted or that you need to have. If you want a fancy home come ask me. Or if you want a fancy new car. All you wished for in the past. Your wish will come true. Just so you know you can come for anything that you see and if you want to get it I will get it for you. I will get you a hot tub with bubbles in it. You will have a hot tub for ever room in your house if you want it to be like that I will give you a mall of your own if you want. But for now I will give you a hug and a flower for now.

Michelle Pacher
4th grade
Mrs. Volker

Ode to Mom
My Mom is the greatest! She can cook anything. She helps me with homework. She cares about me. She gets up early. She stays up late. Just to get everything ready for me. Now you can see why I love my Mom

Brian Beckwith
4th grade
Mrs. Voelker

Ode to my Mom
My Mom is the nicest. She takes us to McDonald. She makes special chicken and yummy brownies. She cares for me when I'm sick, and keeps me safe. She is really important to my life.

Harley Duncan
4th grade
Mrs. Voelker

Mom, When I grow up I will take you to Montana and to Florida. Then we will go to Seaworld. I will give you millions and billions and trillion of money. Then I will buy you a maid and a limo and the biggest mansion in the whole entire world. I will buy you every beach known to man, and a brand new car to go with everything. I will get lay out chairs to tan on. But for now Mom, I will just give you a kiss, flowers and a big I LOVE YOU!!

Taylor Kent
4th grade
Mrs. Voelker

Mom, When I grow up I will make you an all you can eat buffet with all kinds of cobbel. I will make you a 5 year supply of all polish. To make you happy, I will clean you house for you. I am getting you a Sleep Number bed. But for now, I will give you a hug and myself.

Vincent Saxton
4th grade
Mrs. Voelker

My mom is the color of ocean blue in the afternoon. She smells like a fresh, red rose on a hot, summer's day. She sounds like a river creek running through the rocks and seaweed. She feels like a soft flower. She tastes like a fresh, fully grown red apple. She looks like soft pitch black dirt in a garden. My mom deserves an award for being a great mom.

Harrison Abbe
4th grade
Ms. Price

My mom is the color of purple. She smells like fresh tulips about to bloom in the warm spring air. She sounds like humming birds that suck sweet, sugary nectar from the blossomed violet tulips. She feels like lavender paint being splat all over the place. She tastes like mauve plums hanging on a gigantic tree. She looks like a purple sunset, falling down before night comes.

Sophia Do
4th grade
Ms. Price

My mom is the color of yellow. She smells like syrup coming freshly from a tree. She sounds like bees buzzing by as fast as they can. She feels like a golden retriever's soft hair. She tastes like a sunflower smell. She looks like a truck's new light bulb.

Justin Youngblood
4th grade
Ms. Price

My mom is the color of white... She smells like a piece of vanilla. She sounds like a plane waiting to take off. She feels like a hot cotton pillow just hand made, and ready to be slept on. She tastes like a warm, crisp apple pie topped with whipped cream. She looks like a delicate snow dropping on the top of Northern Michigan. That's my mom.

Mitchell Kuziel
4th grade
Ms. Price

Choo choo my Mother's coming through
This Mother's Day, I'm going to take my mom on a magical night. A Pegasus will come and pick my mom, Jennifer up, and fly her across the rainbow to a Candy Land. My mommy will eat all the candy she can stomach. A little cocalte Bunny hopping along the side my mom will eat it too! There will be a magical carriage flying her home. Happy Mothers Day mommy

Brigitte Waidner
4th grade
Mrs. Baynham

Happy hugs and kisses day mom
Happy hugs and kisses day with a flying pig with a boka of shiny red chocolate roses and a purple unicorn with a Happy rich family with a 10 ft tall cholaete bunny. Have a Happy mothers day love

Andrea Snyder
4th grade
Mrs. Baynham

Interesting
Loving
Outstanding
Valuable
Eternal
Youth
Open
Understanding
I love U

Gracie Lochinski
4th grade
Mrs. Lewicki

Mother
Mom your the best mom ever On how you care for me everyday The thing you do for me makes me happy How nice you are Every time I say "I Love You" I meant it Really I do Love you.

Abby Pippin
4th grade Mrs. Lewicki

Oh how I am so lucky You will never give me muck You're sweet like Roses You're clean as can be Oh how I Love you so much You care for me and I care back

Emma Bonamic
4th grade
Mrs. Lewicki

Mom I Love you so much. On mother's day we celebrate. The love gets stronger and stronger. How you forgive and forget. Ever lasting fun is you. Rivers run and so do you.

Zora Binert
4th grade
Mrs. Lewicki

Dear Mom,
I would take my mom to the Westside diner and buy her 1 or 2 dozen roses. I would give you breakfast in bed and I'd do all the dishes. you go a head and take a break form work. I will take care of the other kids. You go hang out with your friends and I love you. At the end of the day we'll sit by the lake and watch the sun go down. It's your special day, you're as beautiful as 1,000,000 roses combined and your job I'll do it as well as much as I can and I will always love you and you're the most important person in the universe. Last of all thank you for loving, caring, and playing with me.

Brandon Gabriel
4th grade
Mrs. Lewicki

I can't wait to take my mom bowling. We do that every year. I hope I buy the right gift for her. I don't want to upset her. I want to buy her some jewelry. I want to buy her lunch, take her bowling, and I want want to buy her jewelry.

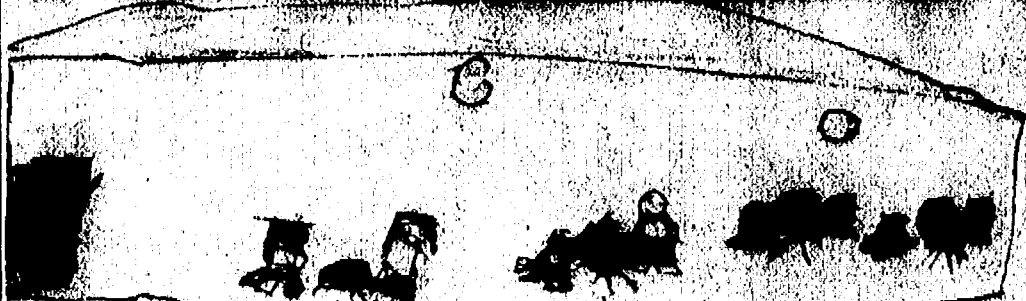
Tyler Brandt
4th grade
Mrs. Lewicki

My mom is the best Oh mom you make my heart sing Today I am going to take you to westside diner Have a happy mothers day Ed will help us get you a present Roses are what you are Sunday we are going to celebrate your day to shine Drive you wherever you want to go A day to be happy and smile Your day. We love you

Madison Longendyke
4th grade
Mrs. Lewicki

Mother I love you. On Mothers day have a great day. This May is a day to celebrate. How much love there is for you. Every mom is nice but your the best. Really loves me.

Blane Johnston
4th grade
Mrs. Lewicki



Paige Finch

I want to take my mom to Westside Diner for lunch

Paige Finch
Kindergarten
Ms. LaVere

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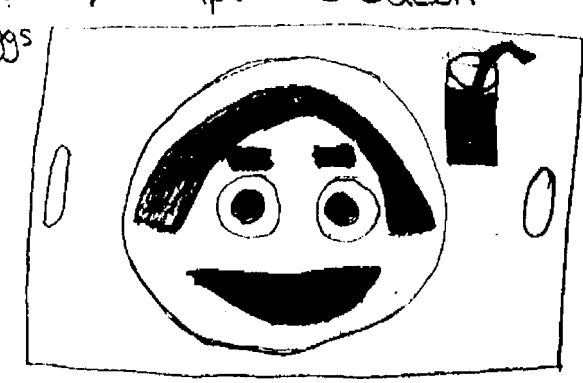
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Mr. Winton

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Mom,
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Joe
4th grade Mrs. Berkshire



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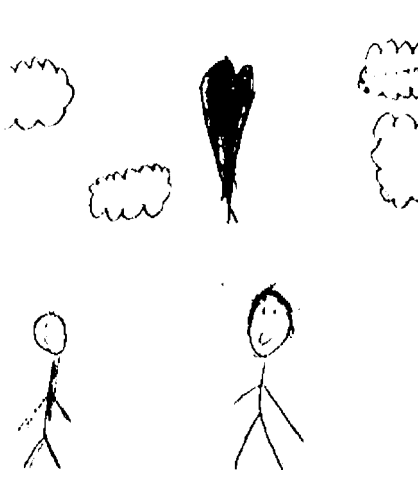
Joe Dell
4th Grade
Mrs. Berkshire

I love you mom.

I would take you to heads up north to get your nails done.

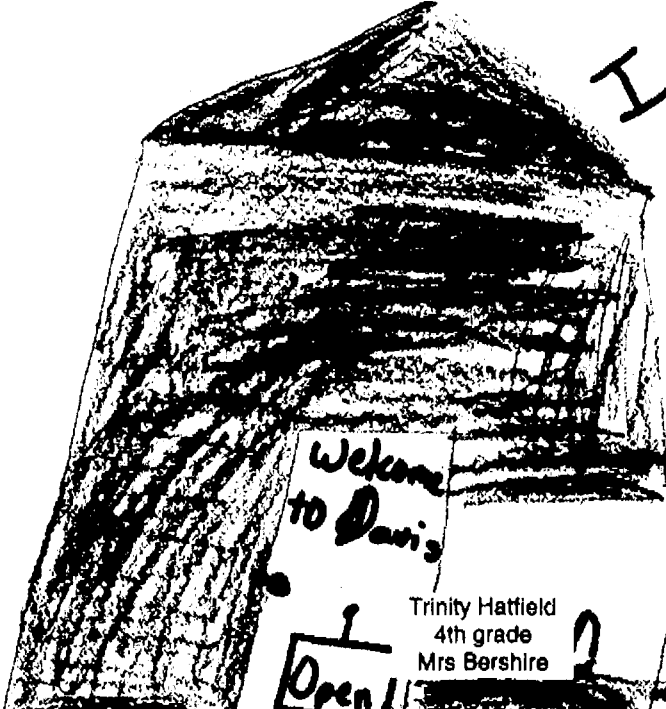
I will buy you a new car.

I will always love you now matter what.



Trinity Hatfield
4th grade
Mrs. Berkshire

I ♥ My Mom!



I ♥ You!

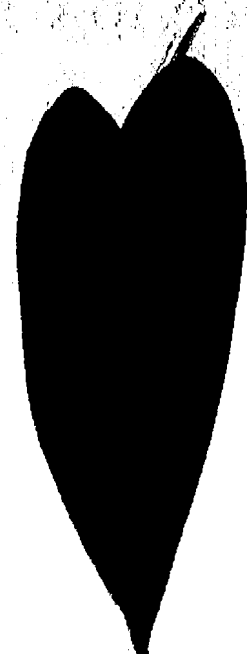
Trinity Hatfield
4th grade
Mrs. Berkshire

I would take my mom on a canoe ride and take her to Davis and get her a panda down bracelet.

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Peyton Scheer
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Mrs. Fox





I Love my mother who she is
your the best mom ever
you mom.

Happy Mother's Day

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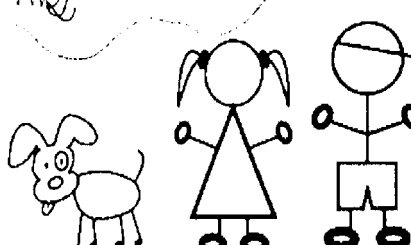
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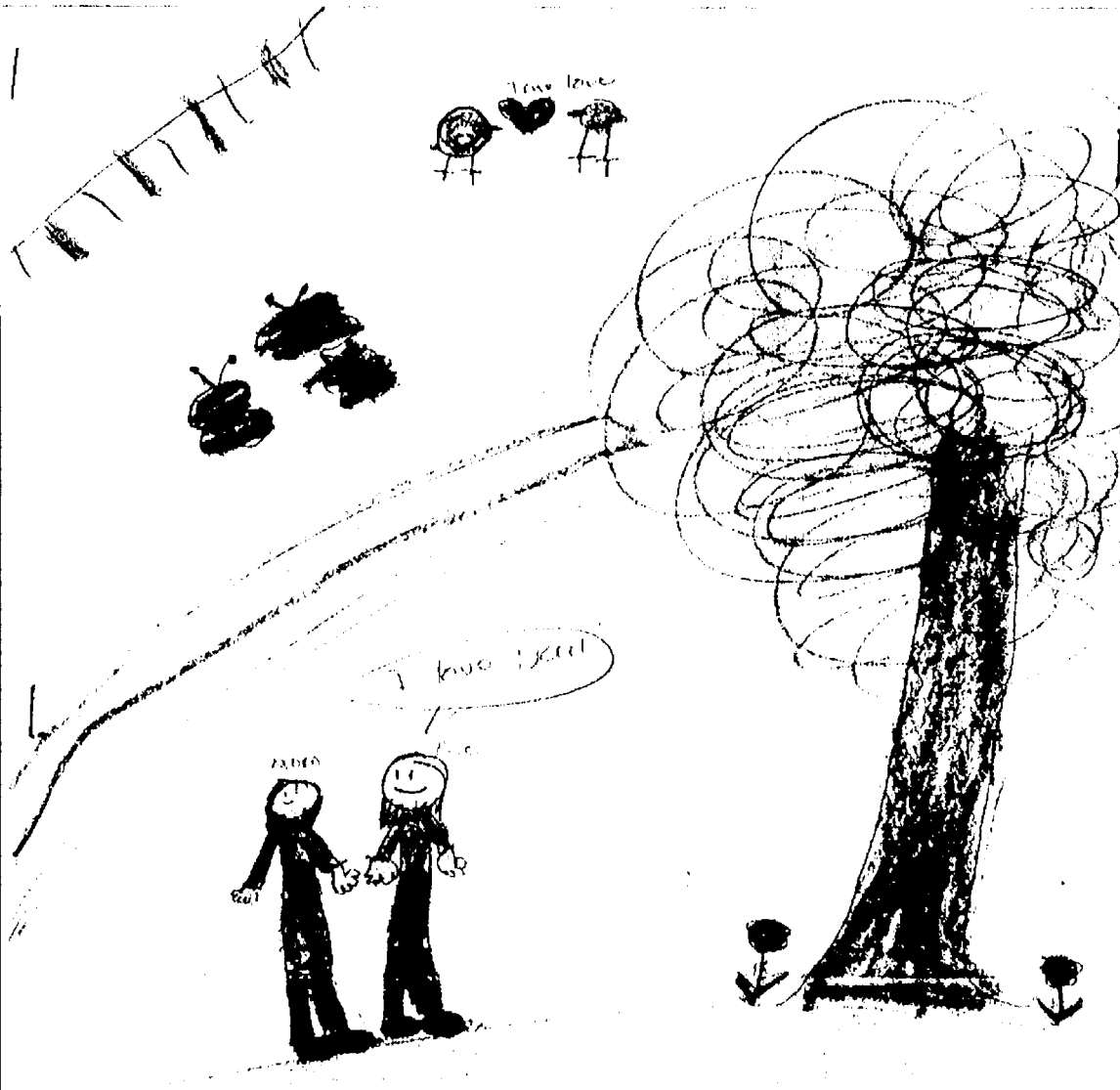
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Hannah Owens
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Brandon Gabriel
4th grade
Mrs. Lewicki

My mother is the very best
You are a gift of joy,
Mom, I can't leave you here, alone
Of course, you deserve love
The beauty you possess is so fantastic,
Heart of gold is clearly part of you
Every time I see you I smile, and I'm just filled with happiness
Roses are not as bright as you could ever be.

Mieranda Makowski
4th grade
Mrs. Lewicki

Dear Mom, Happy Mothers day. I hope you have the best and you hip feels better! I would give up my life just for you!

Libby Brown
4th grade
Mrs. Berkshire

I will take my mothers to Dairy Queen and take her to olive garden for a lovely dinner and buy her some Jewels at auSable Priamary Gift Shop.

Taylor Starles
4th grade
Mrs. Berkshire

I would take my mom to west side dinner and buy her everything in the world if I had all the money I would also buy her to Family Video and buy her every movie there. I love my mom!

Madison Dwyer
4th grade
Mrs. Berkshire

I would take my mom on a canoe ride and take her to Davis and get her a pandadora bracelete.

Trinity Hatfield
4th grade
Mrs. Berkshire

On mother's Day I will take her to Wimpy's to buy Ice cream then to Salon Rue for her hair to be done. In the morning I will make pancakes and eggs on mother's day.

David Walsh
4th grade
Mr. Winton

All moms deserve a special day. A Mother's day. Mom, Thank you for everything you've done for me. Now I will do something for you on your very special day. Bless you Mom, I love ya.

Lacey
4th grade
Mr. Winton

Roses are red. Violets are blue. You do so much for me mom. I love you!

Jordan Kenyon
4th grade
Mr. Winton

Mama, I would take you to family video. We had some good times I'm your sweet child, o mine, Candy rain.

Robert Brinker IV
4th grade
Mr. Winton

A day for you It's Mothers Day just for you. My favorite mother in all the world is you. I'll do any thing for you because it's mothers day. A day made just for you. Mother I love you.

Harley Root
5th grade
Mrs. Partlos

Mother's Day
Mom you are the spark in my heart
You gret me every time I get home your here when I need a friend and when Im hungry you feed me
I love u. Love

Logan Bunker
5th grade
Mrs. Partlos

Mom when you go away I want you to stay
When you say bye I start to cry
I love you mom and it will always be that way

Hailey Haberland
5th grade
Mrs. Partlo

My mom has allways been their for me. The good times and the bad. She's been their when I cracked your head open again. She's been their when I felt like I had no friends. She's been their when I needed her help with something. She's been their when I needed her most. My mom is so awesome I'm lucky to have her.

Jordan Harris
5th grade
Mrs. Partlos

I love u Mom
UR the best
Mom ur the best Mom ever
You help me with my home work
for mothers day I'm going 2 take you to your favorite place Big Boy

Pais Rouse
5th grade
Mrs. Partlo

Dear Mom,
You are the world to me
Your like a key that makes me succeed through life and everything challenging to me that is why I love you Mommy!

Happy Mothers Day
Jared LaLonde
5th grade
Mrs. Duncckley

Wounder mom
Fashion queen
My mom is the best
Oh mom you make me smile
You are not lazy or boring
Roses are what you are
Mom you are the best
Mom you make my heart sing
Next Sunday we are going to celebrate your day to shine
A day to be happy and smile
Happy mother's day mom
I love you
Savannah Cunningham
5th grade
Mrs. Duncckley

You Mom
You make me happy when I am sad and crying
You make me laugh even when you do stupid things
You are my best, my mom, and you are special
You make me excited over nothing
You mom make me feel proud
You are always doing something right even if you're doing it wrong it is right
You make my day
There is a reason for every thing
I love you

Emily Brown
5th grade
Mrs. Duncckley

Youve been there for me
youve gave me a lot of love and its all free its time to get equal now im getting older and im there for you and im giving you it back for free
Happy Mothers Day Mom!

Jokob Hubbard
5th grade
Mrs. Duncckley

Mom
Every day you hang out with me.
Every day you care for me.
Well now is my turn to care and love for you the way you care for me.
Happy mothers day mom!!!

Andrew Hopkins
5th grade
Mrs. Duncckley

Dear mom
Thank you for being there for me. All through the tough times and the happy times. Thanks you for the gifts and taking care of us.
ALove


Jacob Budrow
5th grade
Mrs. Duncckley

Dear Mom,
You are the key to my heart.
When I'm with you, the key unlocks into a world of happiness.

My nightmares disappear when I wake up, and you're always right there at the breakfast table and I know where you are.

My heart immediatly wakes up with joy and my frown turns upside down. I love you because you are there when I need you.

Christiam Deschene
5th grade
Mrs. Duncckley



Anthony McLean 4-25-11

Mom is the heart of my day. I Love mom and now I know where to take her to carnival. I hope she likes it.

Anthony McLean
1st Grade
Mrs. Helvie

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